

# THE NAPANEE

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**WALLPAPER! HOMES**

### TOWN COUNCIL.

Council Chambers,  
February 21st, 1910.

Council met in regular session on Monday evening, Mayor T. W. Simpson, presiding. Present—Reeve Alexander, Councillors Osborne, Waller, Hawley, Kimmerly, Steacy. The minutes of the last regular session were read and confirmed.

Mr. S. R. Miller, Chairman of the Board of Education, appeared before the Council and asked for a statement, according to the census taken by the Assessor, of the number of children in Napanee between the ages of eight and fourteen. It was necessary that the Board of Education have this information in order that they might make their report to the Department. There were also a number of children in town between these ages who were not attending school, and the information asked for would assist the Board in its investigations.

The Clerk informed the Council that, according to the Assessor's census, the number of children was 364.

Mr. C. H. Edwards, Principal of the Public School, stated there certainly must be some mistake, as he had the names of 488 enrolled on his register. There was probably one hundred of these below the age of eight, and about twelve over fourteen, and that left a discrepancy of twelve.

Considerable discussion took place as to the best means of ascertaining the facts and giving them proper attention, and on motion of Councillors Waller and Osborne, it was decided that the Police Committee, together with the Truant Officer, meet a committee from the Board of Education and inquire into the matter.

A communication was received from Allan Neilson, applying for the position of Assessor for 1910. Laid on the table.

The following requisition from the Board of Education for moneys for school purposes was placed before the Council:

#### PUBLIC SCHOOL.

##### Estimated Expenditure.

Salaries.....	\$5223 00
Fuel.....	400 00
Insurance.....	50 00
Maps, etc.....	25 00
Printing and Stationery.....	15 00
Repairs.....	200 00
Supplies.....	150 00
Furniture.....	100 00
Miscellaneous.....	37 00
	\$6200 00

##### Estimated Income.

Legislative Grant.....	\$ 300 00
Balance required.....	5900 00
	\$6200 00

#### HIGH SCHOOL.

##### Estimated Expenditure.

Salaries.....	\$7550 00
Fuel.....	500 00
Furniture.....	25 00
Grounds.....	25 00
Gymnasium.....	50 00
Insurance.....	50 00
Library.....	50 00
Maps, etc.....	30 00
Printing and Stationery.....	20 00
Repairs.....	200 00
Supplies.....	250 00
Examinations.....	150 00
	\$8900 00

##### Estimated Income.

Legislative grant.....	\$1290 00
(Cadet Corps).....	50 00
Fees.....	60 00
County proportion.....	3500 00
Town proportion.....	4000 00
	\$8900 00

Laid on the table.

The Printing and By-law Committee presented a written opinion from the Town Solicitor in reference to the Local Improvement By-law. The Solicitor informed them of a way they might get over the difficulty raised by some individual in a block who refuses to pay part of the cost of a cement walk, when all other property-owners in the block desire to have one built, and where, in the opinion of the Council, it is in the public interests that one should be built. There is a section of The Municipal Act framed to meet just such a case as this. Section 677 expressly provides that if, in the opinion of two-thirds of the members of the Council, it is desirable in the public interests to construct and lay down a sidewalk or pavement, the same be done and the costs thereof may be assessed against the properties fronting or abutting thereon.

The Committee also reported, that owing to The Municipal Act being so cumbersome regarding sewers and sidewalks, they deemed it not advisable to enact a Local Improvement By-law at the present time.

They also recommended that the Town Solicitor draft an agreement between the town and parties petitioning for cement walks, and that said agreement be signed

### LETTER TO THE EDITOR.

MR. EDITOR,—

I crave the privilege of using a small space of your valuable paper this week. While reading my daily paper on Tuesday last, I ran across the following item which immediately appealed to me as an idea which is bound to bear fruit, especially as there must be enthusiasm and energy behind the project.

"The Peterboro Board of Trade has undertaken to raise \$2000 by subscription to maintain a Commissioner of Industry of the city. If the Board raises \$2000, the city council will make a grant of \$2000. Peterboro intends making a big effort to secure factories this year."

Now, Mr. Editor, why should not a similar scheme work in the good old town of Napanee. It is not as though we were isolated in some out of the way place where shipping facilities, and other things necessary for a good location, were not to be had. Instead we are located upon the main line of the G. T. R., and the B. Q. R., which connects with the C. P. R. and we also have easy access to transportation by water. As for proper sites for the establishment of industries Napanee simply abounds with some of the choicest. All that is needed is that the fact be advertised, that the influential citizens take an interest in it, and particularly the officials of the town. Let everybody put their shoulder to the wheel and then watch Napanee grow.

I have heard the suggestion that the town's property on the west side of Centre street could be used as an inducement for a free site for some industry, which might be induced to locate here. This of course is only a suggestion, but well worthy of a thought.

The probability is that the rate for the year 1910 will be about twenty-five mills. At any rate, for arguments sake, we will say that is the rate, then how would it be if the council would add two mills more to be used solely for advertising our beautiful town, and in endeavoring to induce industries to locate here.

Now, Mr. Editor, the above is only my humble opinion and I hope your many readers will not proceed to "knock" the question, but rather give it reasonable consideration, and discuss the matter among their friends. What Napanee really needs is "boosters" not "knockers" and any effort, no matter how insignificant should be helped along instead of being ridiculed. I would like to hear the opinion of any other citizen along this line through the columns of your paper.

Thanking you for the space used in publishing this, I remain,

A NAPANEEAN.

### ENTERPRISE.

We are having beautiful winter weather: the farmers are taking advantage of it hauling up their wood. William Clark and son, Marshall, Dresden, are spending a few weeks with friends around here.

On Wednesday, 16th Feb., a number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Potter assembled at their home and presented them with a kitchen shower. There was a long list of presents.

### FAIR VIEW

The roads are in bad condition with pitch holes.

Herbert Free bought a fine horse from Herbert Loys.

Stacey Vanolting attended the fun.

# WALLPAPER! HOMES

This is a subject we think we can talk on with authority. For 15 weeks the past summer we travelled for the largest wallpaper factory in Canada and by studying the subject, and the plans of other merchants, feel that we can offer some good suggestions to our customers.

We have already put in stock

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and when our stock is complete, which it will be in about two weeks, we can offer the very

## Best Line we have Ever Had

In addition to our very large stock on hand we have the sample books of V. E. Ashdown & Co., Toronto's largest dealers; J. A. Holland & Co., Montreal; The Reg. N. Boxer Co., English and German Papers, and will be able to give you paper up to \$10 per roll.

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Near Reindeer Dock.

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Policy-holders of the above Company are hereby notified that the Agency has been transferred from D. L. Green to D. McClew, Napanee. All matters of transfer or endorsement, etc. in connection with existing Policies or any new business will be promptly attended to by

D. McCLEW, Agent, Napanee.

OFFICE—Grange Block, John St., P. O. Box 185.

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Remember if it isn't an Eastman it isn't a Kodak. You can get all the supplies in Napanee at Wallace's Drug Store. We do developing and printing and intend carrying a larger supply than kept in Napanee heretofore.



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Portable

## Band Saw Mill!

Breeze & Dennison are erecting a Portable Band Saw Mill in the Village of Newburgh, which will be in operation in a couple of weeks.

From 20 to 25 per cent. more lumber is produced by this process than by the circular saw.

Parties having logs to cut are invited to give them a trial.

## CHAS. WALKER,

Operator and Manager.

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## T. A. Huffman, Druggist,

—and—

## Wallace's Drug Store

Another preparation sold for a great many years by Mr. Huffman is

## Warner's

## Asthma Remedy.

and it enjoys a larger sale around here than all other Asthma Remedies combined—of course there's a reason for it. First, it is as good as the best one and better than most of the others; secondly, for 25c you get a package as large as Kellogg's or Schiffman's dollar size.

Sold now at Wallace's Drug Store.

Anything you have been in the habit of getting at Huffman's you can now obtain at WALLACE'S.

All medicines advertised in this newspaper are sold at Wallace's Red Cross Drug Store, Napanee. No matter what other stores advertise the price at Wallace's is as low in all cases and lower in some.

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On motion of Councillors Waller and Kimmery, the Clerk was authorized to prepare a resolution to be forwarded to the Minister of Public Works, requesting that the dial on the town clock at the postoffice be illuminated.

The time for the return of the Collector's roll was extended until the next meeting of the Council.

The following accounts were ordered paid: Wilson Bros., \$14.60; F. E. Vanlaven, \$21.00. At the previous meeting of the Council some of the members asked for information as to the amount of insurance carried on town property. The Clerk supplied the said information which is as follows: On the property occupied by Chas. Stevens, \$500; Town Hall and contents, \$1,000; property occupied by Chas. Anderson, \$800; fire hall, \$1,000; fire engine, \$1,000; public library building, \$2,000.

Council adjourned.

Washing Machines, Clothes Baskets, Clothes Pins, Clothes Lines, Clothes Hampers, large variety at  
**BOYLE & SONS**

**BELL ROCK.**

According to latest reports the survivors of the C.N.R.R. are still hovering around the woody maze of the drowned land.

Last Thursday night, W. Forrester held a meeting here in the interest of the Northern Electric Telephone company.

W. Brooks has sold his black team at a fancy price.

S. R. Pomeroy spent a day in Kingston last week.

J. Pomeroy and E. L. Amey made a flying trip to Newburgh on Thursday.

Frank Snider, Violet, is at Frederick Snider's.

**ERINSVILLE.**

The funeral of the late Hugh Cunningham took place on Saturday morning from the Roman Catholic church. The remains were placed in the vault. Mr. Cunningham was a highly respected resident, and leaves a wife and two small children.

J. D. McDonald, of the McDonald-Rowland Lumber company, Owen Sound, is here shipping lumber purchased some time ago from S. Bowerman, Clair View.

The remains of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. Burns were placed in the vault here Tuesday.

J. E. Murphy spent the last few days auditing books for the township council in Tamworth.

The agent for the Cooper Lumber company has purchased a large quantity of timber from J. J. Neville.

Thomas Evans shipped six carloads of wood to Kingston recently.

The Murphy property here has been purchased by M. J. Hopkins, Rockport.

Miss Mary Byrnes has returned after a two weeks' visit to friends in Belleville.

Mr. LeFebvre, Montreal, has donated a statue to the Roman Catholic church here.

Mrs. Thomas Evans spent the past week in Madoc.

Mr. Bennett, of Kingston, has purchased a quantity of lumber, wood and shingles throughout this district.

## Feed ground for 6 cents per hundred at the big mill.

J. R. Dafee wishes to notify his customers and the public generally that the price for grinding feed at the big mill for the present and until further notice will be six cents per hundred pounds with one pound per hundred off for waste. The mill is equipped with two of the best grinding machines known to the trade with a capacity of twenty-five tons per day, feed ground as fine as desired and ready when you call for it.

Your patronage solicited,

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J. R. DAFOE.

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**FAIR VIEW**

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Stacey Vanalstine attended the funeral of his uncle, Garrett Vanalstine, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley File were "At Home" to a number of their friends on Friday evening.

Samuel McNeill visited at Levi Thomson's recently.

**BE'HEL.**

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Salsbury visited friends in Yarker on Sunday.

Mr. Shutter, assessor, has been through these parts.

The path masters have been on duty looking after the north and south roads.

E. Freeburn is making improvements on his barns.

Miss Wagarspent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. McWilliams visited D. Stuart, Yarker, on Sunday.

Mr. A. Shair and son will leave soon for their home in Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. B. Sutton, at J. B. Alkenbrack's.

**WALNUT GROVE.**

Azel Buck received the sad news of the death of his son, Oscar, on Friday of last week. Deceased was born in this place and lived here most all his life. He moved to Edmonton, Alberta, four years ago where he resided until the time of his death. He leaves a wife and four small children, besides his aged father, two sisters and four brothers. Deceased's many friends will receive the sad news with sorrow as he was well known in this place.

Mrs. S. Bell passed peacefully away on Sunday evening at the ripe age of eighty-four years. She was widely known for her kind sympathy for everyone in trouble. She was a life-long member of the Methodist church. An aged husband survives. The funeral was held from her late residence, Walnut Grove, thence to Morven, where a large concourse of friends gathered to pay their last respects.

**MARLBANK.**

Miss A. McGinness visited friends in Roblin, Sunday last.

Rev. Mr. Jones, of Tamworth, is visiting friends here.

Miss York, of Erinsville, is visiting Miss Grace Pringle.

E. A. Watson has taken a position in the brick works, Port Credit.

Frederick Brown and family have moved to the village from the cement works.

Mrs. A. Hazard, an aged and respected lady, passed away on Feb. 16th in her ninetieth year.

John Allen passed away on Feb. 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Hinch, at Stoco, Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Mather attended the funeral of her father, John Allen, Monday.

Miss Pearl Nesbit spent Tuesday in this vicinity.

Mrs. J. Murphy has returned home, after spending a couple of weeks in Belleville.

Miss Annie Pearl Mowers has returned home, after spending several weeks in Belleville.

James McHolland has secured a position in Port Colborne, and expects to move there in a month or so.

Frank Paris spent a few days in Montreal last week.

Mrs. L. Deline and son, Roy, have returned home, after spending a few weeks with L. Deline, Port Credit.

Any Prescription from Any Doctor.

Will be promptly dispensed at Wallace's Drug Store. We pride ourselves in keeping further advanced than most Drug Stores. Always a graduate of the Ontario College of Pharmacy in charge of the Dispensing Department. Our charges are just what they should be—not a cent more nor a cent less—Remember that in medicines, Quality should be first consideration.

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ready for your selection. You should buy early before the sizes are broken. We sell the best Hats made at the same price inferior hats are being sold for.

## J. L. BOYES,

### CAMDEN EAST.

William Saul, an aged resident, who is visiting his son, David Saul, of this place, has been seriously ill.

Mrs. Clarence Milligan and young son were guests at Joshua Switzer's, Switzerville, for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McLean, of the B. of Q. R. station, here, entertained their friends at an oyster supper recently.

Mrs. Carroll is spending a month with her daughter, Jennie, of Blackstock.

Mrs. Wellington Perry has returned from visiting her three sons at Winnipeg.

Mrs. Archibald Alcombrack and children visited Westbrook and vicinity last week.

Miss Genevieve Taylor visited her friend, Miss Violet Perry, on Sunday.

Miss Edna Bicknell and friend, Miss Sloane, Conway, were on Saturday and Sunday at W. Bicknell's.

H. McGuinness has men engaged getting out ice for the cheese factory.

Mrs. L. D. Williams is visiting in Napanee.

Zymole Trokey's  
Fresh from the manufacturers at Jessop's Pharmacy. They allay all irritation of the throat.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

The method of ringing the fire

### YARKER.

There has been no delay of trains on the B. of Q. R.R., this winter. Trains all arrive and depart in good time.

Teaming has not been impeded to any extent on the country roads.

James Goslin's son had his leg scalded by the upsetting of a kettle of boiling water.

H. Oldham, at Trinity College, Port Hope, had his nose broken in a game of hockey.

About all of Yarker's young ladies who go west get married. Miss Ethel Barton is the next one to go, and is expected here on her wedding trip.

Walter Shultz, of Kingston, was visiting at Sine Babcock's.

Two of Frank Simpkins' children are very ill.

Frederick Johnston has bought the residence occupied by M. Foster and also the stock of groceries and fixtures thus closing out an opposition. Mr. Foster will move to Yarker and occupy the residence vacated by J. A. Vandewater.

Yarker Adult Bible class held a very successful "At Home" at the residence of Henry Walker last Thursday night. The next one will be held on the third Thursday in March at the residence of Egerton Vanluven.

The classes of Mrs. Batstone and Mrs. Martin held a union social in the paragon Friday night.

Mrs. Weidmark, of Cardinal, was the guest of Mrs. S. Winter.

Mrs. S. Winter and Mrs. John Wright, Jr., were visiting Mrs. J. D. Shibley, Harrowsmith.

Mrs. F. E. Benjamin, who was so seriously injured in the automobile accident, made her first trip to Kingston last Saturday since the accident.

### TAMWORTH.

The winter is passing over quickly and leaving many sorrowful homes. The people of this district are dropping away very fast. The vaults are claiming their victims. The body of Hugh Cunningham was put in the vault, Mrs. Andrew Burn's baby's body was put in Erinville vault on Monday, and Mr. John Allen's body from Marlbank was put in the Tamworth vault.

A very sad death from croup occurred at the home of Mr. D. B. Floyds, in that of his only son, aged 3 years and 7 months. A very bright and intelligent little child he was his mother's pride and his father's joy. His place will be vacant at the table.

He no longer rests in his little cot. His father and mother no longer his sweet smiles will see

He is gone to his heavenly father above

We are having beautiful winter weather here now. Good sleighing and wood drawing is the order of the day.

Mr. Richard Powers has been negotiating towards purchasing a two horse power sawing machine of the latest type. So those who have their summer wood to cut would do well to engage him.

The farewell supper given in respect of Mr. W. J. Fuller on the eve of his departure from here was a grand success. We are very sorry to see Mr. Fuller leave, as he has been a life long resident and a good neighbor.

Mr. John Sorings has opened up a grocery store on the corner, in the old Herschimer block, and is doing a good business. May he prosper.

## First Bath-Room Requisite.

The Knickerbocker Spraybrush connected to a combination hot-and-

## NEW LUMBER YARD

Messrs. J. R. Dafeo and W. T. Waller, have purchased the lumber stock and business of Mr. M. S. Madole, and have overhauled the machinery of the planing mill and have it equipped for first-class work, and are prepared to supply the following first-class building material:—

**Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors, Blinds,  
Mouldings, Verandah Posts. Also Cement,  
Sand, Lime, Building Paper, Roofing Drain Tile**

in fact anything required in the building trade. **Lumber Dressed, and Sash and Doors, Etc. Prepared to order.**

When intending to build, give us a call, foot of East Street.

## DAFOE & WALLER,

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**HOUSEKEEPER** wishes good situation. Experienced, capable. Farm house preferred. Apply at THIS OFFICE. 11ap

**FOR SALE—Cheap**—1 quarter-cut-oak bedroom suite, one quarter-cut-oak sideboard, one range—all as good as new. Apply to MRS. GEO. MAYBEE Dundas street. 6

**FOR SALE**—The brick residence on East Street formerly occupied by the late Mrs. J. D. Ham. Apply to HERRINGTON WARNER & GRANGE. 31f

**HOUSE FOR SALE**—In good part of the town, on Thomas Street. Apply to S. W. PRINGLE, Centre Street, Napanee. 11

**HOUSE FOR SALE** with two lots, new house 38 x 24, barn 28 x 24, electric light, hard and soft water, a splendid property at a low price. Apply to M. PIZZARELLO. 11

**FOR SALE OR TO RENT**—A desirable farm 200 acres, beautifully situated on the Bay of Quinte, five miles west of Bath, known as the Downey Farm. Possession March 1st. Apply to GEORGE Y. CHOWN, Kingston. 8f

**40 FARMS FOR SALE** in Napanee and Belleville districts. Many of these are valuable farms, and at right price. Call at once or write for list. We can suit you, and you will save time and money. Also some good town properties. W. G. H. BROWN, Real Estate. Opposite Royal Hotel, Napanee.

**TO RENT**—The property on Centre St., recently occupied by C. A. Anderson as a livery. For further particulars enquire of A. S. KIMMERLY, Chairman Town Property.

W. A. GRANGE,

11d Municipal Clerk Town of Napanee.

**FOR SALE**—Residence of the late Mrs. Andrews, Piety Hill. Brick house, brick barn, and four lots

Frame house (one and half storey) with full lot on Thomas street, north of West Ward school. Phetson—in good order, new rubber tires on new wheels in first-class condition. Apply to H. B. SHERWOOD, at office or residence. 81f

## NOTICE.

## DOXSEE & CO.

## Ribbon Sale!

Saturday, Jan. 8th.

Our stock is too large and must be reduced before stock-taking.

See our window for Prices.

## Millinery

Everything in Trimmed Felt and Velvet—half price. All Untrimmed Felt Hats at 50c each.

## The Leading Millinery House

## THE - DOMINION - BANK NAPANEE BRANCH

Capital Paid up.....\$4,000,000  
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits.....5,300,000  
Total Deposits by the Public...45,700,000  
Total Assets.....58,900,000  
Travellers and Commercial Letters of Credit issued available throughout the world.

## DUDLEY L. HILL,

Manager, Napanee Branch.

## MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA.

ESTABLISHED 1864.

PAID UP CAPITAL AND RESERVE OVER  
\$10,400,000.



## PUBLIC NOTICE.

The method of ringing the fire alarm from the different fire boxes is as follows:—

In case of a fire the key of the box will be found in a glass enclosure along side the box. Break the glass and insert the key in the lock and open the door. Then pull the lever down **ONCE**. This is all that is necessary to send in an alarm. In case it is desirable to repeat the alarm, wait until the bell stops ringing, and then pull the lever down once more.

### Cut Flowers at Wallace's.

From now until Easter we will be able to supply fresh cut carnations almost any day—price, 75c a doz.—no charge for green. Dunlop's designs for funerals are superior to any others in Canada and we can give at least 10% better value at Wallace's Red Cross Drug Store.

### TAMWORTH.

Russell Shire and wife returned to the west after a visit with their aunt and friends in and about Tamworth. Mrs. Alex. Hanard died at Marlbank this week. She was a resident of Sheffield for a number of years.

Hugh Cunningham died on Thursday last. The funeral on Saturday was very large.

Mrs. William Little visited her parents for the past few days. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bushey.

W. A. Fuller has disposed of all his property and will leave for Montreal to reside.

Malcolm Floyd, who has been very sick, is recovering.

James Water, Clara Craig, Charlie Smith, Robert Water and Finley Bell have returned from the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, the latter formerly Miss Flossie Bell, were here one day this week.

William Donovan has moved into his new home.

Purest Norwegian Cod Liver Oil 50 cents per pint, 20 ozs. at Jessop's Pharmacy.

A Newark man has a two-inch wire nail in his throat. That's nothing R. L. Borden has two breadnoughts in his eye.

Laurence McDermott, a well known resident of North Tyendinaga died very suddenly last week from heart disease.

Hugh Cunningham, of the neighborhood of Tamworth, after a few days illness fell a victim to pneumonia on Friday morning, February 18th.

Premier Whitney said in the Ontario legislature, on Friday, the government would take drastic steps to stop reckless driving of automobiles.

It is rumored that the Marlbank cement works may be re-opened, as it is said the Quebec bridge people prefer the Marlbank cement to that of any other.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### PHOSPHONOL

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Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, with their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. The tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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By Order.

NAPOLEON TESSIER,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works,

Ottawa, February 22, 1910.

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Notice is hereby given that the Township of Richmond will hold owners of traction engines liable for broken culverts caused by not observing the law in using plank when crossing said culverts.

ABRAM WINTERS,  
Township Clerk of Richmond.  
Selby, Feb. 10th, 1910

## MORTGAGE SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE—By Public Auction.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at time of sale there will be offered for sale by public auction on WEDNESDAY, THE 2nd DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1910, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Herrington Warner & Grange in the town of Napanee, the following lands:— All that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Fredericksburgh, in the County of Lennox and Addington, and Province of Ontario, and being composed of the east quarter of lot number 3, in the 4th concession of the said Township of Fredericksburgh.

The said lands are situate on the south side of the Napanee river about two miles from the town of Napanee.

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Napanee, Ont., Vendor's Solicitors.  
Dated Feb. 5th, 1910. 9c

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO Creditors.

In the Estate of William Haner York, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 124 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Section 38, and amending acts, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Haner York, late of the Township of Lennox and Addington, in the County of Lennox and Addington, farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1910, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to Herrington, Warner & Grange, Napanee, Ontario, Solicitor for Thomas Marshall Barry, Administrator of the said William Haner York, deceased, on or before the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1910, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them. And further take notice that after the said 3rd day of March, A. D. 1910, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they have not received notice at the time of the distribution thereof.

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Solicitor for the said administrators.  
Dated this 5th day of February, 1910. 9d

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Duties.—Six months' residence upon, and cultivation of the land in each of three years.

A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 20 acres solely owned and occupied by him or his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section along side his homestead, Price, \$100 per acre.

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W. W. CORY,

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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14. The narrow gate, on the other hand, opens into a straitened way. There continues to be no room for the things renounced at the entrance. To travel that way one must have laid aside all sin and selfishness, all shame and follies. But it is worth while; for there is no surrender of freedom, and the end is life, a condition of unshakable happiness.

Few are they that find it—literally. "Few are finding it." This throws no light on the question as to the number of the saved. When Jesus was asked that question he avoided a direct answer. Instead, he cautioned men to strain every energy to get in for themselves. "There is no list published of the citizens of heaven." One thing is certain, that the demands of membership in Christ's kingdom are severe and exclusive. No man will reach the goal who does not strip at the start and keep up the struggle with energy and patience.

15. False prophets. Impostors who, under a mask of orthodoxy, lead a corrupt life. The Pharisees whom Jesus arraigned so severely all through his ministry, belonged to this class, guides morally blind (Matt. 15: 14), and therefore totally unfit to teach religious truth and duty. But Jesus here has in mind (compare verse 22) those unworthy teachers who sprang up with the early life of the church.

What they actually are (ward 16), ravening wolves, whose one thought is to prey upon the flock, is hidden from view by their sheep's clothing, or feint of religiosity. It is necessary, therefore, to watch with exact care (be ware), since it is impossible to detect them at first approach. The idea of this verse is found in Aesop's Fables, but nowhere else in the New Testament.

16. Ye shall know them. They may wear a show of innocence, teach religion and morals, but so long as they fail to produce the fruits of true religion and inward morality, such "fruit of the Spirit" as Paul describes in Galatians, no one can be long deceived.

17. Good tree, good fruit; corrupt tree, evil fruit.—This is an unchangeable law of nature. Fruit is the outward manifestation of the inward life. If the tree is good, its nature cannot (18) be

of heaven is not by the mere recital of a creed, but on the condition that men really do the will of God. What that will is Jesus declared (in general terms) in the early part of the sermons (Matt. 5: 20), and unfolded in detail in what follows.

Lord, Lord.—Implying a belief in Jesus's part in his own sovereignty.

22. Successful ministerial labors cannot be pleaded as sufficient to admit men into heaven's bliss. It is an observed fact that God does sometimes use the man who has only the outward semblance of the shepherd. The hollow professions, corrupt teaching, and wonder-working of such men may providentially count for something in establishing the kingdom, but they will have no share in the ultimate blessings of the kingdom.

23. I never knew you. Jesus here distinctly represents himself as the final Judge of men. False prophets may so successfully hide their true nature as to deceive many of their followers. But Christ will infallibly detect those that work iniquity, and they can never, in the nature of the case, abide with him.

24. A wise man. Here we have a true picture of the conditions of house building along the water courses of Galilee. The first man, in all prudence, dug down to the bed rock and built his foundations strong. Winter's storm and fury found his position impregnable. So is the man who pays good heed to the instructions of the Sermon on the Mount and goes forth to do them.

25. A foolish man. Perhaps he built as well as the other. He may even have put up a more showy house. It did well enough in fair weather. But it collapsed in a dismal heap before the driving tempests of winter. There is no fall (27) more tragic than that of the man who has impressed the world with being a man of excellent worth, but the utter unwisdom of whose foundations has been revealed in the storms of life.

28, 29. The multitudes were astonished, because of the masterful authority which rang through the whole discourse. It was wholly unlike the teaching of the scribes, who relied entirely on tradition.

No man sees anything as it is unless he sees that which is not.

Dinner. "Here, landlord, what's the matter with your dog? I've driven him away a dozen times, but he always comes back again and sits close to my chair, watching every mouthful I take. Do turn him out and let me have my dinner in peace." Landlord. "Ah, sir, my Carlo is such a knowing brute. I expect you have got the plate he generally eats off."

of four eggs beaten stiff, fold well together, bake until it sets (from five to ten minutes), serve cold in sherbet glasses with whipped cream and chopped nuts. This can be used with the meat course or as a dessert.

Cranberry Sauce.—Wash and put one quart of berries in pan. Add two cupfuls of sugar and one cupful of water, cover, and boil slowly for five minutes. Put in a baking dish a layer of berries, then a layer of bananas. Proceed in this way until berries are all used. Spread over the top the whites of two well beaten eggs, sweetened. Bake slowly until brown. Serve when cold.

Apple Charlotte. Butter a pudding dish. Put alternate layers of sliced apples and bread crumbs in the dish, sprinkling apples with sugar and a little cinnamon. Layer of crumbs on the top. Beat an egg, add salt, one cupful of milk and vanilla and turn mixture over bread and apples. Place table-spoonful of butter in bits on top. Bake in moderate oven. Eat with hard sauce or plain cream.

Prune Pudding.—Take one half pound nice large prunes, cook tender. Sweeten to taste and remove pits, put in baking dish. Take yolks of two eggs and a small lump of butter, one half cupful of sugar, table-spoonful of cornstarch and one pint of milk. Stir all together and cook until thickened. Cool and put over prunes. Beat white of two eggs and put over top and set in oven to brown.

Prune Puddings.—Forty-six prunes, two cupfuls of sugar, seven eggs, whites only. Cook prunes until tender, drain, stone, and wash through a colander; add sugar and whites of eggs beaten stiff; put in buttered covered mold, steam three and one half hours. Serve with whipped cream. ~~25~~ amount will serve eight persons.

Orange Souffle. Cover one half box gelatin with one half cupful of cold water and soak one half hour. Roll and squeeze six oranges, making one pint of juice. Beat yolks of six eggs until creamy. Add to orange juice one pound granulated sugar and stir until dissolved, then add the yolks. Beat until all is well mixed and add flavoring. Place the gelatin over a steaming teakettle until gelatin is dissolved. Now add this to the mixture, turn all into a bowl, stand in a pan of cracked ice, stir slowly until mixture begins to thicken. Then stir in lightly one pint of whipped cream, fill the empty halves of oranges with the mixture, and put in a cold place to stiffen.

## PIES.

Eggless Pumpkin Pie.—Would

to one part of salt; a little cayenne essence is often added and considered an improvement.

To stone raisins easily, pour boiling water over the fruit, let it stand for three minutes and then pour off. The softening of the skins renders the task an easy one.

The busy housewife who dreads darning day may not know that paraffine rubbed on the heels of stockings reduces friction and saves many a jagged hole.

Twenty pounds of grease to twenty pounds of potash, one pound of borax and two pounds of resin, all boiled together for twenty minutes, make first-class soft soap.

Housewives complain that milk puddings and custard curdle in cooking. If the milk is scalded and allowed to become cool before adding the eggs it will not curdle.

To make glue for use on tin, dissolve one ounce of powdered alum in a pint of boiling water, then add two ounces of gum shellac and boil till all is dissolved. Bottle for use.

If you have no flour dredger take a tin of convenient size, punch a number of holes in the lid, and use it as a dredger. This will answer every purpose of the more expensive article.

Those who suffer from aching feet should occasionally sponge the insides of their shoes with a moderately strong solution of ammonia. The shoes must be perfectly dry before they are put on.

When the oven smells badly take a vessel of hot water and a handful of washing soda. Take the shelves and wash well in hot water, then finish them in cold. Next wash the oven well out with the soda water, and brush it over with white sugar. It will then be clean and sweet, and bake beautifully.

In hanging pictures it is to be remembered that although oil paintings look better hung in the usual way, with a sloping in from the top to the wall at the bottom, yet etchings and water-colors often look better hung flat against the wall. A picture with shadows should, if possible, have the light side nearest the windows so that the shadows will fall naturally.

To keep stove brushes clean, always use old newspapers first, to take off the grease of the stove and oven, and then to polish. A daily polish with old newspapers will keep the stove and steel in good order and with less labor.

We need to change the proportions between the men who are praying for peace in heaven and those who are promoting it here.

Laying hens need lime; more of it than they obtain in grain consumed. Crushed oyster-shell is cheap and good. Old plaster may also be used.

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## ARMY OF 4,000,000 READY

### GERMANY'S WAR STRENGTH IS STILL GROWING.

#### More Than a Million Men are Under Arms at Times on a Peace Footing.

The military correspondent of the London Times in reviewing the position of the German army gives some interesting particulars of its development during recent years. Of the imperial budget of \$712,500,000 for the financial year ending March 31, 1910, the sum allotted for army expenditure was \$202,500,000. This does not represent the whole of the army charges, which are nearer \$250,000,000.

The peace strength of the German army has risen during the past year to 620,000 men of all ranks and 111,820 horses. The number of reservists called out for training during the year has risen to 456,336, excluding officers, or an increase of more than 110,000 over the figures for 1906. The German plan is to train each soldier twice for fourteen days while in the reserve and once for fourteen days while in the Landwehr.

The number of reservists recalled during the year for training has risen of late at the rate of 30,000 a year and will continue to rise until the plan is

#### IN FULL OPERATION.

Thus there are and hereafter will be more than a million men under arms at one time or another each year.

The year 1907 is the last for which complete statistics of recruiting have been published. The recruits examined numbered 1,189,845, among whom there were 532,092 of the age of 20 who were examined for the first time. In all 435,933 were incorporated in the armed forces, including 212,661 in the active army and 10,374 in the navy.

About one-half of the army recruits were 20 and the remainder 21 or 22. There were only two-one-hundredths of 1 per cent. of illiterates. Voluntary engagements numbered 53,900 for the army and 3,539 for the navy.

"Germany leads the world in aeronautics," says this writer, "and the last year has only confirmed her supremacy in the air. Her aerial fleet consists of twelve dirigibles, systems Zeppelin, Parseval and Gross, while there are fifteen other dirigibles in private hands susceptible of being requisitioned.

The German plan is to act by methods of registration and subsidy; to prepare, as for the navy, the establishments and the means for rapid construction and to aim in particular at increased speed so as to obtain relative independence of the weather. The successful trial of the Gross III., which made over 27 miles an hour on her trial trip on December 31, is

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## ON BRITISH RAILWAYS

### STRANGE REASONS FOR STOPPING TRAINS.

#### Communication-cords are Sometimes Pulled for no Reason Whatever.

The communication-cords of railway trains are often pulled for strange reasons, said an official who has seen many years' service on the iron roads of Great Britain. The communication-cord in general use runs in length from fifty to one hundred yards, and is laid on from the guard's van to the cab of the engine, where it is attached to a gong or an automatic whistle. It is so ingeniously fixed that if it is pulled in any one of the carriages the gong or whistle of the cab of the locomotive must respond, and thus apprise the driver.

Communication-cords are very valuable agents of protection, no doubt, but when they are pulled by irresponsible persons and young fellows who consider it funny to "pull up" a train for no reason whatever, railway officials regret that Parliament passed a Bill in 1868 ordering communication-cords to be installed on certain trains.

#### NOVEL EXCUSES.

Only the other night a train speeding northwards from London was brought to a standstill because the communication-cord had been violently pulled. When the guard ran along the carriages to learn the cause a young fellow pushed his head through a window and coolly told him that he had pulled the cord because his friend had bet him a sovereign he wouldn't do so.

Some time ago a lady traveling to Scotland pulled the cord of the carriage she was in, and when the train was brought up with a jerk and the guard put in an appearance, she stated that a man sitting opposite her had produced a revolver. The male passenger indignantly turned out his pockets, bringing to light a black leather pipe-case; which the lady had mistaken for a pistol barrel.

Recent mysteries on the line surrounding the deaths of men and girls have had an extraordinary effect on a London merchant, whose business takes him all over Britain. In dread of being robbed and murdered on the railway he bought a revolver, and carried it with him whenever he travelled by train.

#### A LITTLE MISTAKE.

One night he travelled down to the provinces, and when the train was well out of London the communication-cord was pulled. The guard jumped out of his van and hurried along the train to find out what was the matter. He soon discovered a broken window-pane, and a man standing with his back to it. The compartment was almost a wreck, and the London merchant was lying on the floor of the carriage unconscious. The man who was standing over him told the guard that his fellow-passenger had suddenly produced a revolver, and he had closed with him, taking him to be a lunatic.

When the merchant recovered his senses he stated that he had taken the weapon from his pocket in mistake for his pipe, which little slip

## SAVES BODY, KILLS MIND

### EFFECT OF ABOLITION OF DEATH PENALTY IN ITALY.

#### First Five Years of Life Sentence Spent in Solitary Confinement.

According to the Italian Penal Code, which abolished capital punishment, the first five years of every life sentence are to be spent in solitary confinement. The prisoner is left in a cell alone, watched day and night lest he should commit suicide, is not allowed to see any human being, not even the guards, is not allowed to talk to himself or read, is fed on a bowl of vegetable soup and a loaf of bread only, and is allowed two hours' exercise daily in a courtyard surrounded by high walls.

#### PREFER DEATH.

This form of punishment which in Italy is considered more humane than a death penalty, invariably leads to insanity and prisoners serving a life sentence prefer death and strive to commit suicide before they lose their reason completely. Only a few prisoners succeed in committing suicide. Bresci, the murderer of King Humbert, was one of these few and he hanged himself with a towel while the guard who was watching him slept.

There is a special madhouse for criminals at Montepulciano, near Florence, and the majority of its inmates are convicts sentenced to life imprisonment. Recently the institution was visited by a party of medical students, who furnish details about the condition of the two regicides, Acciarito and Passanante, who are both insane.

#### BELIEVES HE IS KING.

Acciarito, who attempted the life of King Humbert in 1897, believes that he is the King of Italy and that King Victor Emmanuel is a usurper. Five years of solitary confinement made him forget entirely that he was an Anarchist and a sworn enemy to all kings. Passanante, who stabbed King Humbert in 1878, has one hand entirely paralyzed and is afflicted with imbecility.

The brigand Musolino has recently been conveyed to the Montepulciano madhouse, which is the last refuge of criminals who in other countries would have been sentenced to death, and here in Italy instead of losing their lives lose their minds.

Whenever a secret of the criminal madhouse is made public Italians realize the cruelty of cellular segregation and a reform is invoked in Parliament. Deputy Di Nicola has now taken the matter up and is striving to bring about the abolishment of cellular segregation, which he qualifies as being "even more hateful than the pain of death."

## SAFE IN THE SUBMARINE

### LIFE-SAVING DEVICE IN THE BRITISH NAVY.

#### Air-Traps Provide Breathing Space

if Boat is Sunk—Dives

## DWELLING OF THE VOID

### BRITONS IN UNKNOWN PART OF SOUTH AFRICA.

#### Members of Scientific Expedition Have Exciting Time With Natives.

Early last summer a few details reached the western world of the experiences of a British expedition which was turned out of southern Arabia. These details were contained in a letter from Mr. G. W. Bury, the leader of the expedition. Mr. Bury has not yet returned to England, but his companion, Mr. P. E. L. Gethin, gives the first personal account of the undertaking.

The object of our party, said Mr. Gethin, which comprised Mr. G. W. Bury and myself, was to penetrate into the unknown part of southern Arabia known as the "Dwelling of the Void." The region is absolutely unknown to modern geographers, none of whom has succeeded in penetrating its mysteries. We were anxious to reach the buried cities in the interior, although the principal object of the journey was to make natural history collections.

When we arrived off the little fishing village of Irka we sent our orderly Sareh ashore with a letter to the chief, who came out to us. Instead of really helping us he was conspiring with the interior chief of Haura to get us partly up country and

#### LEAVE US STRANDED.

Eventually we got away from Irka with an escort of fifteen men and eight camels. We were both armed and wore turbans, as the people there declare that Christians only wear hats to hide their horns. On the following day the chief of Haura sent a messenger with a letter to say that he would not receive us at any price. Our whole caravan stopped, our boxes were dumped in the open desert, and we found what shelter we could under one tree. We got our camp into a state of defence, and took it in turns to snatch a little sleep. The chief of Haura proved most unfriendly. He would not send us out food, and set a guard over us. Fortunately we had a few biscuits with us, but this was practically all we had for the week we were stranded in the desert.

We were absolutely in the power of the Arabs, and to have attempted a show of force would have been fatal. Every now and again the Arabs fired pot shots at us for amusement, but never hit us, although they struck one tree under which we sat. After five anxious days had passed the chief of Haura sent us a final letter declining to find us an escort, and ordering us to leave the country within three hours. The three of us were very weak, having lived mainly on jam and biscuits, and the prospect of a flight of 35 miles to the coast was not a pleasant one. We had, of course, to discard our baggage, for

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"It is thought that the zone of exploration of the dirigibles is already greater than that open to a cavalry division. It has, moreover, been openly stated that exploration by dirigibles will not await a declaration of war.

"In many other directions there has been steady progress in preparing the army for war. The officers at the war school have been increased from 400 to 480. A census of motor carriages has shown that there are 41,727 of all classes available for requisition, and during the manoeuvres of last year great use was made of them and also of motor-cyclists, who will probably be formed into special corps.

"The companies of machine guns are increasing, and there will eventually be one company with six guns with each regiment of infantry. The cavalry is now for the greater part armed with the 1898 carbine, modified to take the S bullet and sighted up to 2,200 yards. The distribution of the new automatic pistol, pattern 1904, will be completed this year.

#### MOBILE FIELD KITCHENS

have given good results and will soon be in general use. Wireless stations are being erected at various places. The latest census of horses shows that Germany possesses 4,345,000 horses of all sorts, including 3,560,000 four-year-olds and upward.

"In many other minor details the progress of the army has been very satisfactory, and the chief causes of complaint are, first, the deficit of 900 officers in the army, and secondly the manner in which the Emperor's military cabinet deals with questions of selection and promotion.

"Excluding 3,000,000 untrained or superficially trained Landsturm and Ersatz reserve, there are over 1,000,000 trained soldiers now available for war, and there are over 6,000 field guns. It has not, however, been the custom of the German staff hitherto to rely so much upon quantity as upon quality.

"It will be with young and highly trained men, aged from 21 to 27, that the first great blow will be struck in case of war, and all attention has been concentrated upon making the first echelon of the army as perfect as human effort can compass. The record of the last year shows that from almost every point of view the German army continues to receive constant accessions of material and moral strength."

It's always easier to give your life than it is to give your leisure. Physician (looking into his ante-room, where a number of patients are waiting)—"Who has been waiting the longest?" Tailor (who has called to present his bill)—"I have, doctor. I delivered the clothes to you three years ago."

age unconscious. The man who was standing over him told the guard that his fellow-passenger had suddenly produced a revolver, and he had closed with him, taking him to be a lunatic.

When the merchant recovered his senses he stated that he had taken the weapon from his pocket in mistake for his pipe, which little slip was the cause of all the mischief.

The other day a train was stopped in the country by a violent pull of the communication-cord. On getting out of his van to ascertain the cause the guard caught sight of an old lady leaning out of the window of a third-class carriage and frantically waving an umbrella. When he went up to her she calmly ordered him to find her return-ticket, which she had accidentally dropped from the window on to the line.

#### A COOL YOUNG MAN.

Just after the Paris express had left Milan once an American brought it to a standstill by pulling the communication-cord. When asked the reason of his action he coolly answered that he had left his walking-stick at Milan Station and wished to go back for it.

A suburban train was once pulled up by a monkey. An Italian boy and a monkey were in a third-class compartment, and when the former fell asleep the latter amused itself by swinging on the communication-cord.

A parrot succeeded in making the driver of an express believe that he had run over a woman. Sudden feminine cries, followed by a howling, rang out from below the wheels of the locomotive, and the driver immediately shut off steam and brought the train to a standstill.

The permanent way was searched, but no body was found. No clue to the situation could be discovered until a large green parrot was seen clinging to the handrail of the engine. The bird, it transpired, was the property of a lady travelling in the first carriage, and had escaped from its cage while she was asleep. The plaintive cries heard by the driver were undoubtedly made by the playful parrot. — London Tit-Bits.

#### GERM IS FEEBLER.

Present Day Influenza is of a Mild Character.

The change in the character of influenza in England in the past decade was explained by a physician, who has made a careful study of the epidemics of this disease.

"There is no question," said the doctor, "that present-day influenza is of a much milder character than it was ten years ago. The reasons are twofold: a natural attenuation of the germ, and a partial immunity acquired by our systems.

"Influenza germs do not completely die out at the end of one epidemic. Certain of them last over from one year to another. The same crop planted from its own seed in the same field will gradually decrease in virulence and the same principle applies to germs.

"The immunity left behind after influenza is slight, but from a series of attacks most of us have acquired a certain ability to withstand it."

You can always get the price of the man who wears his pride on the outside.

#### LIFE-SAVING DEVICE IN THE BRITISH NAVY.

Air-Traps Provide Breathing Space if Boat is Sunk—Diving Helmet Also.

The crew of a sunken submarine is no longer to be left without means of escape, in the British Navy at least. A recent issue of the Illustrated London News gives an idea of a method by which the crew may escape from the vessel and rise to the surface. Says this paper:

"It is necessary to render the crew independent of poisonous gases caused by salt water coming into contact with the stored electrical energy or open terminals; to preserve the crew from drowning in the boat; and to provide means of escape from the vessel and ascent to the surface. The devices at present known are air-locks for escape; detachable chambers, or life-boats; and self-contained dresses for escape. Air-locks alone are of little use, except in shallow water; combined either with detachable chambers or with self-contained dresses, they are essential in all methods of escape.

#### AIR-TRAPS.

"When a submarine is holed by accident, the water pouring in will, if the hole be at the top of the boat, gradually replace the whole of the air in the vessel; but if the hole be below the highest point, then the water as it enters will compress the air until the pressure of the latter is equal to that of the water outside. It is obviously necessary, therefore, to provide some device that will catch and contain the air if the vessel be holed high up; hence the provision of air-traps. The accident having taken place and the boat having sunk to the bottom, air will be compressed either under the deck of the vessel itself or under the air traps.

#### MEN ABLE TO BREATHE.

Beneath the air-traps the men, having on their special diving helmets, sit with their heads in compressed air, until it is their turn to escape, either through the conning tower or through the torpedo hatch, and rise to the surface. In front of the water-proof jacket, attached to the diving helmet, is a pocket containing a combined purifier and oxygen generator, which enables the same air, purified and re-oxygenated, to be used again and again. The dress, which can be put on in thirty seconds, not only prevents the suffocation of the wearer, but acts as a life buoy. There are fitted to the air-traps air-supply pipes from the boat's compressed air cylinders, so that an extra pressure of air may be turned on when necessary.

#### WHAT HE HAD DONE

"I'd be ashamed to beg if I was a big, healthy-looking man like you," said the sarcastic woman. "You ought to look for a job of some kind. Have you done any thing at all during the past year?" "Yes, ma'am, I hev," answered the husky hobo meekly. "I just finished doin' thirty days, ma'am."

If your religion is sunshine you will not need to argue about it.

not a pleasant one. We had, of course, to discard our baggage, for

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I tore out the few written pages of my diary, we concealed the two chronometers about our clothes, and, with a certain amount of ammunition, were prepared to bolt, our intention being to get away in the middle of the night, when our guards would probably be asleep. We regarded it as almost certain that we should be attacked and murdered before we were able to go far.

We did not get away that night, and, to our surprise, on the following morning the local pundit came out from the town to reopen negotiations. The chief now demanded all our money, in return for which he would provide us with an escort and camels. Keeping only a few dollars, we handed over the money, and in the evening 27 camels arrived. Some shots were fired at us at intervals, but no damage was done. Having loaded our camels, we started on our return to the coast.

The journey was terribly hot, and we were very weak, but we had to make forced marches, and only snatched three hours' sleep. We were absolutely done up when we eventually reached the coast at our original starting place. A dhow put in, and in two days took us to Aden.

#### LIVE ON 20 CENTS A DAY.

Harvard Professor Believes It is Possible.

In the midst of all the agitation over high prices and the meat boycott, Dr. Franklin White, of the Harvard Medical School, says that neither of those supposed to be present calamities should cause the workman one whit or worry. In fact, the present agitation should prove a panacea to the American mechanic and laborer, as it will give both a chance to arrange their diet and place it on a safe, sane and economical basis.

Dr. White states that, without fear of contradiction, the ordinary healthful workman can live on the outside on 20 cents a day and grow fat, harbor his strength and add constantly to it.

Dr. Franklin White's favorite menus, which should prove as so-lace to the hungry workman are:

Breakfast—Cornmeal mush, one cent; oleomargarine, two cents; syrup, one cent; total, four cents.

Lunch—Potatoes, two cents; oleomargarine, two cents; smoked herring, one cent; cocoa shells and milk, two cents; total, seven cents.

Dinner—Beans, three cents; potatoes, three cents; cocoa, two cents; bread, one cent; total, nine cents.

#### HARD HIT.

Stella—"Young Biddell seems to be infatuated with the girl he is engaged to."

Maud—"Yes. They say he proposed after seeing her with her hair done up in curl papers."

#### TACT.

Edward—"Will your mother consent, do you think?"

Angelina—"Yes; I can fix that. I'll get papa to oppose it."

Often you must forget the good you have won to reach the good you would be.



# THE DOMINION FORESTS

EXTEND ABOUT 1,000 MILES EAST AND WEST.

Some Interesting Facts Respecting Their Nature and Management.

"If the forests of this great region, so absolutely necessary to a northern district, a great portion of which is not even provided with coal, are to be preserved, an appropriation sufficient to provide an efficient and comprehensive patrol must be given, and the interest involved would thoroughly justify the expenditure." These words are used by Mr. R. H. Campbell, Superintendent of Forestry, in regard to the immense stretch of country lying between Hudson Bay and the Rockies and north of the Saskatchewan and form part of his contribution to the report of the Department of the Interior, lately laid before Parliament. The district extends about 1,000 miles east and west, by some 300 to 600 miles (averaging 400 miles) north and south, and is all more or less forested.

Steps have already been taken for the patrol of the region, rangers having, in 1908, been kept on the Athabaska, Lesser Slave, Peace and Great Slave Rivers, in the region north of The Pas, Saskatchewan, and in the country north of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, including the Lac la Rouge district, the scene of the mining excitement. Some of the most important points and routes of travel, however, remain unprotected, such as the whole district surrounding and north of Lake Winnipeg as far as Hudson Bay, the whole valley of the Churchill River and a great part of the Peace and Mackenzie River districts.

## FIRE NOTICES

have been printed in Cree and Chippewyan for distribution in the north, and a copy of one of these is appended to the report.

A special patrol was maintained along the route of the G.T.P., with the encouraging result that no serious fires occurred. Similar precautions need to be observed on the many other railway lines projected in the northern country.

The importance attached to this branch of the work by the Forestry Branch is shown by the increase in the number of fire rangers from 47, in 1907, to 82, in 1908; these rangers patrol their respective districts, discover and extinguish fires and warn travelers and residents of the danger of setting or neglecting fires. Few serious fires occurred on Dominion lands in spite of the dryness of the season and the consequent risk. The most serious fires were at Salmon Arm, Manson Creek and White Lake, in British Columbia, and in the valley of the Spray River in Alberta.

For the B. C. fires squatters on timber berths were chiefly responsible, and in one case carelessness on the part of a lumber company was a partial cause, for the Spray Valley fire the carelessness of tourists is responsible. By the British Columbia fires 200,000 feet, board measure, of timber were destroyed, and 10,000,000 feet damaged; the Spray Valley fire burned about

in the Spring of 1909, 2,010 applications being supplied. In the Spring of 1910, trees will be sent for the first time to 2,235 new applicants. Heretofore no coniferous trees have been distributed; in 1911 it is hoped to begin the distribution of this kind of stock, the species to be distributed being white spruce, jack pine, lodgepole pine and Scotch pine. To these the tamarack or native larch will probably soon be added. Applications for trees are now handled entirely at the branch's office at Indian Head, instead of at Ottawa as formerly.

## NATIONAL PARKS

The Dominion National parks are now administered by the forestry branch, and the report gives a list of these, with a short description of each. The revision of the park regulations is noted. The completion of the fence around Buffalo Park is referred to. This fence is 74 miles long, nine feet in height, and consists of 14 strands of wire. In Ontario the only National park is the St. Lawrence Park Reservation, comprising 11 islands and a small peninsula on the St. Lawrence, between Brockville and Gananoque, formerly owned by a band of the Mississagua Indians. Copies of the report, as well as those of the bulletin referred to above, may be had free of charge, by addressing R. H. Campbell, Superintendent of Forestry, Ottawa.

## MILLIONS LIKE THIS.

Terribly Monotonous Life of the Chinese Girl.

Some vivid word pictures by Mrs. Isabella Riggs Williams, missionary of the American Board to China from 1866 to 1897, have recently been published in a book, entitled "By the Great Wall." One of the most striking is that in which the author tries to make plain to her Western readers the great difference which exists between the life of Canadian girls and the circumstances which circumscribe the opportunities of a Chinese girl.

This court, fifteen feet square, surrounded by mud houses, is her home (the Chinese girl) and that of five other families. She cannot go to church or Christian Endeavor meetings, she cannot go to school, or have any kind of an outing more than a dozen times a year.

When she was younger she could go on the street for small items of marketing, but now her mother is watchful of her—it is time for her marriage—she is twelve years old, and tall for her age.

Let us see how her day goes. There is a round of washing bowls and pots, sweeping the one or two family rooms, and squatting on a bit of old mat outside the door, to wash, with a brick for a washboard and soda instead of soap. She rubs away patiently at white stockings that are nearly black, and the boys' ragged trousers, besides her own, for girls as well as boys wear trousers in China.

"Well, girl," her mother says, "work away, for to-morrow is the ninth of the ninth month, and if you are diligent to-day you may go with your aunt and me to the missionaries' home. Oh, of course we go to the temple first!"

"Bind your feet a little more tightly, child! Who do you think will marry you with such feet? You know I have always told you that

# TRUTH ABOUT TYPHOID

BACILLI FIRST LODGE IN CONTAMINATED FOOD.

Typhoid Fever Does Not Have Its Origin in a Low State of Health.

It is not the true statement to say that typhoid fever has its origin in impaired health. Typhoid fever has just one cause; the typhoid bacillus; and if it were not for this microscopical monster you could be at the lowest ebb in health but you could never contract this dangerous disease.

The typhoid bacillus is as much a known quantity as a hen's egg, except that fewer people have seen it and, thank fortune, raised it. It is a small plant from about one to three twenty-five thousands of an inch long, and about three times as long as it is broad. It is shaped like a rod (whence it is called "bacillus," which is the Latin diminutive for "little rod"); and it has a special travelling outfit, namely, flagellae or hair-like lashes, numbering from five to twenty, by which it produces motion, and gets from one drop of water to another.

## UNDERSTAND METHODS.

To appreciate the tricks and the manners of the typhoid bacillus we must understand just how it gets into the human body, what it does there, and how it escapes again. The intestinal tract of man's alimentary canal seems to be the favorite resort of typhoid bacillus; and in order to understand this special liking on his part, let us picture to ourselves the real nature of the digestive passage; simply a long continuous tube, expanded at different places for the stomach and the large intestine, and having direct communication with the outside world by two openings, one for taking in nutritious food, the other for expelling waste matter.

## CONTAMINATED FOOD.

Into this digestive tube, typhoid bacilli are received when food or drink contains them, as for example, oysters, milk, water, fruit, in a contaminated condition. Lodged in the lower intestine, the typhoid bacilli begin to multiply and carry on their life process, doing deadly damage thereby to the tissues, eventually causing the sickness known as typhoid fever.

If these bacilli, then, once gain access to the digestive tract, only the individual resistance of the human victim can withstand them; there is no medicine or dose known to the medical world at the present time which can combat these little foes or scatter them once they have started on their damaging career. If for any reason there is not sufficient resistance on the part of the person attacked, then in about ten days after the typhoid bacilli have found their way to the intestines, the victim's condition can be recognized as typhoid fever.

## NO THANKS TO HUMAN AID.

But if one's natural resistance to typhoid fever can meet these bacilli as they attack, then one escapes having typhoid fever, but without thanks to any human aid. Therefore he who allows another

# TROUBLES OF AN EMPRESS

THE CZARINA IS NOW A NERVOUS WRECK.

Apprehension of Danger to Children Has Taken Away Her Peace of Mind.

Rumors regarding the court of Russia must always be viewed with caution. The following stories of the origin of the Czarina's latest nervous breakdown are given by a London paper as coming from a source directly connected with Tsarsko-Selo.

Always a devoted mother, the Czarina makes it a rule each day to go into the palace schoolroom at nine o'clock in the morning. On at nine o'clock in the morning. One Czarina was astonished to find the children romping with their governess.

"Come," she said, "what is the meaning of this? After 9 o'clock and no lessons commenced?" "Your Majesty," said the governess, "it is not yet nine, and we always have a little play till the hour strikes."

Pulling out her watch, the Czarina said, "You are mistaken; it is nearly a quarter after 9."

## BOMB CLOCK.

The governess glanced at a strange clock on the wall, then suddenly with a look of horror tore it from its shelf and rushing to the further end of the room hurled it out of the window into a fountain in the ground beneath. Directly afterward there was a loud explosion, the stonework and ornamentation and the windows of the schoolroom broken.

The Czarina was completely overcome by the thought of the danger that had threatened her children and fainted. She was unconscious a long time and was afterward very ill.

## SECOND BLOW TOO MUCH.

Two days later came another blow. One of the little Princesses asked for a glass of milk which was immediately forthcoming. When it did arrive childlike she had changed her mind and instead of drinking it herself gave it to a pet dog. Half an hour later the pet dog was dead. The milk was poisoned and investigation showed that the whole of the milk supply intended for the consumption of the Czar's household had been tampered with.

The Czarina learned of the fresh attempt through the carelessness of an attendant, and from that moment her nerves gave way completely. She is now constantly haunted by fear for the lives of her children. Eleven palace servants were arrested in consequence of these occurrences and they are now in prison. The Czarina's condition is aggravated by the fact that the young Czarevitch has been taken out of her control.

## A NIGERIAN RAILWAY.

Being Built to the Manchester of the Sudan.

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#### FOREST SURVEY NEEDED.

There is the greatest need of a survey of this Northern forest belt, to say nothing of its protection from fire. An exploration of this tract, similar to the exploration of Northern Ontario, made in 1900 by the Government of that province, could, Mr. Campbell states, be made for \$200,000, an amount which spread over ten years, would mean an annual expenditure of \$20,000. Some of the main lines of travel through the country are well known, it is true, but large areas are entirely unknown, particularly away from these routes, and in order to secure adequate knowledge upon which to base proper administration of the country, definite knowledge of it is essential.

On the forest reserves timber surveys were continued during 1908, and plans of administration for the reserves are now being prepared in accordance with the results of these surveys. Fire and careless cutting have resulted in the deterioration of the reserves, and a long period of management will be required to bring them back into proper condition. Of the whole area of 10,000,000 acres comprised in the reserves, about 1,250,000 acres have been surveyed.

#### FOREST RESERVE ADMINISTRATION.

The reserves are described at some length by Mr. T. Knechtel, Inspector of Forest Reserves, in his report appended to the main report. The Riding Mountain Reserve is described at length in a separate bulletin. ("The Riding Mountain Forest Reserve," by J. R. Dickson, Asst. Inspector of Forest Reserves), the survey of the reserve having been completed. The result of a "reconnaissance" survey of "The Pines" Reserve, made in the Summer of 1908, is also published as an appendix to the report (Appendix No. 2, Report of H. R. MacMillan, Asst. Inspector of Forest Reserves). Additions to existing reserves have also been recommended. One of these consists of a tract of some 200 square miles, lying to the north of the Saskatchewan River, opposite Prince Albert, Saskatchewan. It is also recommended that the Cypress Hills Reserve, in Alberta, be considerably extended; aside from the value of the forests in this reserve, it is found that the reserve is of considerable value as a source of hay for ranchers in the vicinity. The forests of the Crow's Nest district were also reported on by Assistant Inspector MacMillan (see Bulletin No. 5, "Forest Conditions of the Crow's Nest Valley, Alberta"). Regulations for the management of campsites within the forest reserves are printed at the end of Mr. Campbell's report, and regulations for leases of mining lands in the reserves are also given.

#### TREE PLANTING REPORTS.

Over two and a half million trees were sent out from the Forest Nursery Station at Indian Head, Sask.,

...the ninth month, and if you are diligent to-day you may go with your aunt and me to the missionaries' home. Oh, of course we go to the temple first!

"Bind your feet a little more tightly, child! Who do you think will marry you with such feet? You know I have always told you that a woman should have head and feet nice."

"Rub a little easier, and be saving of the soda. I spent three cents for it, and it will be long enough before I can get more. I shall save up quite a while to get thirty cents, so I can buy cloth for baby a suit. It's getting cool, and the missionary lady says it's because he goes bare that he's sick all the time."

"Mother, can't you buy cloth for me some shoes. Mine have had these bits of cloth glued on the toe for a long time, and they're not very nice."

"Dear, dear, how you children do wear out your things! Well, if you will help with the fur-sewing and we earn ten cents a day regularly, you can buy the cloth next month."

"I need ankle-cloths, too."

"Now, child. What a girl you are! Have you gone and washed yours all to pieces? If I was as strong as I used to be I'd do the washing all myself! Go to the gate and if your brother is there, tell him to come quickly and bring angels to cook supper with. It's well for us that the grocer trusted me for the millet. We shall not go hungry tonight, as we did last night."

The father comes in with two cents' worth of carrots for supper. He says, "The new foreign doctor is a man of great skill, I hear. Quite a wonderful case they are telling of all over town. But I liked the other doctor; she was very kind to us. I've always thought that when I had time I would go and learn about Jesus."

#### STANLEY PUNISHED NATIVES.

##### Explorer's Description of Africans Attack on Party.

In the following language Sir Henry M. Stanley describes an attack of natives upon his party during one of his African expeditions: "The Leviathan bears down on us with racing speed, its consorts on either flank spouting the water into foam and shooting up jets with their sharp prows; a thrilling chant from 2,000 throats rises louder and louder on our hearing. Presently the poised spears are launched and a second later my rifles respond with a rippling, crackling explosion, and the dark bodies of the canoes and paddlers rush past us. 'For a short time the savages are paralyzed, but they soon recover. They find there is death in those flaming tubes in the hands of the strangers, and with possibly greater energy than they advanced their retreat, the pursued becoming the pursuers in hot chase. My blood is up. It is a murderous world, and I have begun to hate the filthy, vulgar shogals who inhabit it. 'I pursue them upstream, up to their villages; I skirmish in their streets, drive them pell-mell into the woods beyond and level their ivory temples; with frantic haste I fire their huts, and end the scene by towing their canoes into mid-stream and setting them adrift.'"

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#### NO THANKS TO HUMAN AID.

But if one's natural resistance to typhoid fever can meet these bacteria as they attack, then one escapes having typhoid fever, but without thanks to any human aid. Therefore he who allows another to believe that any number of doses of medicine can check typhoid fever when once it has started in the human system either displays his own crass ignorance or stands as an opponent to the truths of sanitation.

#### TYPHOID VACCINE.

But this does not of course take into consideration the recent success in army circles both in this country and in Germany of inoculating with typhoid vaccine to lessen both the virulence of the disease and the death rate. That this measure, adopted wherever our soldiers request it, has met with striking success is without question and gives us fair promise that the terrible loss of life from typhoid fever such as occurred during the Spanish-American war will never again be repeated.—Marion Spratt, in Detroit Free Press.

#### NEW METHODS OF SOCIALISM.

##### Enterprises Based on a Hint Taken From Financial Magnates.

In Europe, if we may believe such a writer and student as Prof. Brooks, the more advanced socialists have practically abandoned the old communism which is still groped after by the noisy socialists of America and have turned to more practical and profitable things by developing the infinite forms of co-operative industry.

In Belgium and in many other parts of Europe, as in England, the advanced socialists are to-day the co-operators. They have taken the hint of the financial magnates and organized co-operative stores, mills, bakeries and so on—in short, formed joint stock companies for the conduct of productive and distributive lines of business for their own benefit and profit.

In the great Austrian capital, Vienna, we find such a socialist venture—a great flouring mill and bread bakery, known as the "Hammer Bread Works" of the "Forward Co-operative Store," an association or company of workmen that has some 70,000 members.

The great establishment, which was opened on June 20 last, stands on a site once occupied by a cloister and later by an iron smelter and also a flouring mill. The great building erected by the socialists contains a flouring mill of the most modern type known to Austrian milling, with capacity to supply flour for a bakery turning out about 150,000 pounds of bread daily "and then some," the mill marketing a large part of its products directly in the form of flour.

The bakery in its turn is also a model of its kind with great, cheerful, clean and cleanable workrooms and the most advanced machinery for manufacturing bread with the least possible manual labor or contact with human hands, the movable parts of the machinery all getting power from electric motors. Cleanliness and perfection of the products is the aim.

#### Being Built to the Manchester of the Sudan.

According to the latest advices from Nigeria, railway construction in the Protectorate is making good progress, and it is expected that by September next there will be through a railway communication with the city of Kano, the great trade centre, which has been aptly termed the "Manchester of the Sudan." Work is proceeding simultaneously on the two sections of the Nigerian system, one running from Lagos for 300 miles to Jebba on the Niger, where the river is to be spanned by two great bridges and the line continued to Zungeru, the capital.

The other section will begin at Baro, an important navigable point on the Niger, which has been transformed into an extensive railway depot, and running direct to Kano—beyond which point the question of further extension has not yet been considered—with a junction from Minna, 130 miles from the Niger terminus, to Zungeru, where it will be joined up with the line coming from Lagos and crossing the river at Jebba.

With regard to the Bare Kano line the earthworks will be within fifty miles of that city by the end of March, by which time the line will also have reached Zungeru. Railroad is now at Milo 130 (near the junction with the branch to Zungeru), and the rails are expected to be at the Kaduna River, eighty-five miles further in the direction of Kano, by the end of the present dry season. On the extension from Lagos there is already a train service from the sea to the Niger at Jebba (208 miles), and the rails are now laid for twelve miles from the north bank in the direction of Zungeru.

Of the two bridges which will cross the river here the southern bridge, 1,400 feet in length, with seven spans, has been authorized, and the second bridge, connecting Jebba Island with the north bank, a structure of 900 feet in length, with four spans, is well in hand, two spans being completed. Work on the Lagos extension has been somewhat delayed, owing to the fact that a new survey has had to be made and fresh gradients found. Pending the construction of the bridges on the Niger, traffic across the river will be carried on by the train ferry which was despatched from England some months ago and is now on the spot.



Ill blows the wind that profits nobody."—Life.

## FROM BONNIE SCOTLAND

### NOTES OF INTEREST FROM THE BARNES AND BRAES.

#### What Is Going on in the Highlands and Lowlands of Auld Scotia.

In Renton last year there were 145 births, 76 deaths and 34 marriages.

A merchant in Glasgow was fined \$50 for selling margarine for butter.

There were 1,385 criminal offences in Patrick last year, a decrease of over 500.

There were 4,443 cases of infectious diseases in Glasgow the third week in January.

In West Perthshire the electorate numbers 8,547, and 7,444 voted—over 87 per cent.

An Albia pony went up a step-ladder the other day and had a good feed in the hay loft.

In Aberdeen last year the apprehensions of drunk and incapable persons decreased by 93.

Over 90 per cent. of voters in Aberfeldy district polled—520 out of an electorate of 571.

The Working Men's Club of Edinburgh start another year with a credit balance of \$4,399.

Fife linen trade is busy and manufacturers would use more looms if they could get hands.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie has offered \$75,000 toward branch libraries at Hillhead and Langside.

Galashiels folk have instituted a crusade against coal men for their bell-ringing on the streets.

It is promised to open Waverley Market, Edinburgh, to the public from 1st April to 1st October.

Since it was formed the Railway Guards' Friendly Society of Glasgow has expended in relief \$1,766, 500.

The Regent Road School, Edinburgh, was recently presented with a Union Jack from a school in Dunedin, N. Z.

An anonymous donor has given \$5,000 to the Edinburgh Infirmary, in response to Lord Skerrington's appeal.

The directors of Chalmers' Hospital, Edinburgh, have appointed Mr. Edmund Price official radiologist to the hospital.

Much regret is felt in the Craigish district of Argyll owing to the death by drowning of the daughter of Major Macdougall of Lunga.

#### SUNSHINE IN UNIFORMS.

##### "Sister Dora" Had Great Influence Over Man.

Dorothy Winslow Pattison, who was born in the Yorkshire village of Hanxwell, in the North Riding of Yorkshire, of which her father was rector, was one of the many bright-faced Englishwomen in nurse's uniform who, in Spenser's beautiful phrase, "made a sunshine in the shady place." In the hospital at Walsall, the sole management of which was put into the hands of "Sister Dora," as she was called, her chief interest lay, according to a brief biography incorporated in "A Book of Noble Wo-

## HO! FOR THE SOUTH POLE

### CAPTAIN SCOTT TELLS OF HIS EXPEDITION.

#### The Kind of Men Required to Meet Strain of Work and Inevitable Hardship.

Despite its discomforts and its death-inviting possibilities, a journey in search of the South Pole has wonderful fascinations for the adventurous.

Over 7,000 people are fully prepared to join the expedition which Captain Scott, the daring explorer, is taking out from England next July or August. But as the party will be only about fifty strong, the thousands who are desirous of inscribing their names on the scroll of fame by reason of having trod the mystic land of snows, must of necessity be disappointed.

#### REQUISITE QUALITIES.

And really it is questionable if the anxiety to join the gallant little band would be so pronounced if the aspirants knew the perils attendant upon an Antarctic expedition. The qualifications a Polar explorer must possess are numerous and varied.

First, he must have a strong heart and a good circulation to meet the strain of work, the long silence, and the lack of food, which sometimes causes terrible suffering. And, considering that he may be called on to take part in a thirty-mile march, dragging heavy sledges the while, he must have wonderful staying powers.

A good, even temper must go with absolute physical fitness and ability to take care of oneself in an emergency.

Then, no one is so popular on an Arctic expedition as the man who can cook well, for each has to take his turn in the kitchen.

"An Antarctic expedition," said Captain Scott to a representative of London Answers, "is not a one-man show, nor a two-man show, nor yet a ten-man show. It is something which demands the co-operation of all. Perils? Discomforts, rather. Snow blindness, for instance. We shall wear goggles made of wood—after the Eskimo style—with a couple of slits, cross-shaped, through which to look.

"Leaving England in July or August, we shall call at New Zealand to pick up ponies, dogs, and stores. We hope to reach McMurdo Sound in December, where a party will be landed to erect permanent winter quarters. The remainder of the expedition will proceed to a point in King Edward VII. Land, in the same latitude as McMurdo Sound, about 500 miles distant. The ship will then return to New Zealand, coming back to fetch the parties from the two bases in the spring of 1912.

#### THE TRACK TO THE POLE.

The base hitherto used in British expeditions has, of course, been McMurdo Sound, but a second base will now be established in King Edward VII. Land. This may be very difficult to establish and will certainly be exposed to the full rigor of the Antarctic climate. On the other hand, its distance from the Pole will be no greater than that of the McMurdo Sound base, and the region about

## 20 MILES OF SOLID SODA

### WONDERFUL BODY OF WATER IN CENTRAL AFRICA.

#### Interesting Account of a Journey Through the Heart of Africa.

One of the most wonderful lakes in the world has just been described to Reuter's by Mr. Fred Shelford, the well-known engineer, who has been surveying the country from the Uganda Railway to Lake Magadi in connection with a proposed branch line.

"Lake Magadi," says Mr. Shelford, "is picturesquely situated amid weird surroundings at the bottom of a valley 3,000 feet deep. On one side are mountains 6,000 feet above sea level, and on another a range having an altitude of 8,000 feet. There is no sign of human life, but on and about the lake are immense numbers of flamingoes.

#### LAKE TEN MILES LONG.

"The lake, which is ten miles long by two or three miles in breadth, is of a somewhat reddish hue. On reaching the shores we found that the water was only a few inches deep, and covered a hard surface looking exactly like pink marble. This is an immense deposit of soda, which was bored and found to extend to a considerable area of at least twenty square miles of solid soda."

This wonderful lake is only reached after a long and difficult journey over uninhabited and waterless country.

Mr. Shelford's business was to survey for the railway which is to be built, in view of the fact that the Imperial Government has granted Messrs. H. Samuel and Co. a concession for ninety-nine years to work the soda deposits. This railway is to be constructed and worked by the Government, and will be of the same construction as the Uganda Railway, of which it will form a branch.

The expedition (says Mr. Shelford), which comprised eight Europeans, left the Uganda Railway at the station of Kiwi, 265 miles in the interior, and struck westward. The country to be traversed was entirely uninhabited, unknown, and waterless. The route was continually crossed by escarpments eight to ten miles long, and 300 to 400 feet high.

#### KEPT PRISONER BY LIONS.

The country teemed with lions, giraffes, rhinos, and antelopes. A large base camp having been formed at Kiwi, great difficulty was experienced at the very outset in finding the beginning of the road to the lake. Eventually a gorge in the escarpment was discovered, and a chain of camps—finally reduced to five—was formed.

Several of the men employed in cutting tracks were lost. Each camp was supplied with tanks of water brought all the way from Nairobi, and protected by thorn zarebas.

Lions were constantly seen and heard. One night fifteen came round the tents, of which two were shot, two of the askaris were on another occasion set upon by five lions; while at one camp a rhino

## The Farm

### TO STOP A HORSE KICKING.

A reader asks how to stop a horse from kicking in harness. He has a single driver that occasionally kicks, and desires a remedy. The following plan will be found effective:

Some years ago the writer saw demonstrated a contrivance for stopping kickers that was about as effective as anything that could be devised. It punished the kicker automatically. Every time he made an effort to dust his heels in the driver's face he had his head yanked up so suddenly that the hind feet were promptly returned to terra firma, and after about three attempts to kick, of which the first only was a genuine effort, the kicker settled down and behaved himself. We have seen this used on violent kickers, and invariably with success.

The contrivance is made thus: Tie a steel ring securely to the top of the bridle, having it directly over the horse's poll; tie another ring similarly to the crupper, about four inches back of the highest point of the rump. Get two pieces of quarter or half-inch rope, each piece about 21 feet long. Tie one end of each piece to the bit-ring, one on each side, carry the ropes through the ring at the top of the bridle; run one through each of the rings on the back band, then both through one ring on the crupper. Now pass each rope down and tie to the shaft or cross-bar. Be careful to have the ropes so tied that the horse can move without danger of his movement causing the ropes to jerk on the bit. Then wait for him to kick. He will be a badly surprised horse when he tries it.

As soon as the head goes down and the rump goes up in preparation for dusting off the heels in the driver's eyes or demolishing the dashboard, something is going to happen on the bit that in the kicker's experience never happened before. If the ropes are properly attached, the horse has changed his mind before he gets his heels up very high. Keep the ropes on him till the habit is thoroughly broken.—Farmer's Advocate.

### LIVE STOCK NOTES.

The best way to get a good farm horse is to raise him. Feed him for growth and develop him for your purpose. If you train him yourself you will know what dependence can be placed in him.

Not everyone is adapted to breeding squabs as a regular business, but anyone will make a success with a small loft, and those who can succeed on a larger scale will be able gradually to build up their business until such time as they feel able to cut everything else but the squab raising.

Among a good many farmers the right curing of farm meats has become almost a lost art. It is a real pleasure to visit one of those old-time farms which produce something of everything, cattle, sheep, hogs and, of course, fowls. The delight of sausage-making and try-



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A fine, strong young collier was brought in with a terribly mangled arm.

"Nothing can save it; amputation must take place at once," pronounced the surgeon.

The answering groan of despair from the patient called up on the nurse's face a look of such deep pity that the man exclaimed:

"O, sister, save my arm for me! It's my right arm!"

Turning to the doctor, Sister Dora said, "I believe I can save this arm, if you will let me try."

The doctor was naturally angry, and told her roughly that he knew best, and that if the arm were not amputated at once, the man would die.

The patient listened eagerly to the altercation; but when the choice was given him, he gladly consented to take his chance with Sister Dora.

"Very well," said the irate surgeon to the nurse, "but remember it's your arm—you take the responsibility. I will have nothing to do with the case."

So she was left to do as best she could.

"How I prayed over that arm!" she used to say in later days, when she described the almost ceaseless tending given to it for three weeks. At the end of that time she called the doctor to inspect her work.

"Why, you have saved it!" he cried, and with true manliness and generosity brought in the whole hospital staff to show them "what could be done in the way of conservative surgery," as he called it.

Some time after her patient had left the hospital Sister Dora had a severe illness, brought on by overwork and worry. All through this anxious period this young man walked eleven miles into Walsall every Sunday, his only holiday, and giving a vigorous pull at the bell, would ask, "How's sister?"

And when he had been answered, he would say, "Tell her that her arm what rung the bell," and then turn to walk his weary journey back again.

Her influence over men was wonderful, and a sojourn in her hospital ward often sent a man out a reformed character. Her delightful humor was partly the secret of this influence.

"Make you laugh?" said a burly Irishman. "She'd make you laugh if you were dying!"

"If I could not laugh over things," she would sometimes say, "I don't know what I should do."

Deviled Ham Leaf.—Mix one-quarter pound of deviled ham with two cupfuls of bread crumbs and two cupfuls of milk. Add two eggs, well beaten. Pour into a buttered pan and bake for an hour in a moderate oven. Serve cold, cut in thin slices.

THE TRACK TO THE POLE.  
"The base hitherto used in British expeditions has, of course, been McMurdo Sound, but a second base will now be established in King Edward VII. Land. This may be very difficult to establish and will certainly be exposed to the full rigor of the Antarctic climate. On the other hand, its distance from the Pole will be no greater than that of the McMurdo Sound base, and the region about it is entirely unknown. The advance to the Pole will be made from one or the other of these two bases, according to circumstances."

"The track to the Pole from McMurdo Sound traverses at first the extensive plateau of the Great Barrier, maintaining approximately the level of the sea. It then rises gradually on the surface of a glacier, and finally, in its third and most difficult phase, it traverses an inland plateau, which probably maintains a great altitude."

"Of course, the main object of the expedition is to reach the South Pole, and to secure for the British Empire the honor of that achievement. Transport is, perhaps, the chief difficulty. From a wintering station the distance there and back is about 1,500 miles. The time at disposal in a single season is about 150 traveling days."

"Ponies, dogs, and motors will be used for heavy sledge loads. Pony traction is all very well on the Barrier surface, but ponies are unsuitable for work on glaciers. Dogs, if not overlaiden, can be used for glacier work, and might travel the whole distance to the Pole. But they will have to be lightly laden, properly harnessed, and well fed on the lower plateau."

"The dogs will be of the Ostrak, Samovide, or Eskimo breeds. Ponies will be taken in sufficient numbers to ensure a thoroughly adequate amount of food being taken to the base of the glacier. A dog team with a relay of men will make the final dash across the inland ice sheet."

#### MOTOR-SLEDGING.

"The motor-sledge promises to play a prominent part in Polar transit in the future. It can accomplish more work, for the fuel expended, than either the pony or the dog, and it is sufficiently long to bridge dangerous crevasses. A difficulty of the past have been that its wheels were not sufficient to support it on the soft snow."

"Weighing about 800 pounds each, the new sledges are propelled over the snow by means of a number of wooden feet on an endless band rotating on spindles."

Captain Scott will probably take with him a good library, and the musical instruments will include a banjo, a harmonium, and a piano. He will again go in for football, and hockey played with bandy-sticks—much lighter than the other ones—and a bull whipped round with cord. Spirits, of course, will be carried, but for the most part temperance drinks will be used—water and lime-juice on board, and tea and cocoa, with plenty of sugar, during arduous sledging expeditions. There will be bottled fruits for the luxury of tarts, canned meats for a time, and then afterwards seal meat becomes the staple diet.

Probably the oldest elector who voted in the election is Mr. Robert Lang, retired veterinary surgeon, Bridge of Weir. He is in his 96th year.

Several of the men employed in cutting tracks were lost. Each camp was supplied with tanks of water brought all the way from Nairobi, and protected by thorn zarebas.

Lions were constantly seen and heard. One night fifteen came round the tents, of which two were shot, two of the askaris were on another occasion set upon by five lions; while at one camp a rhino deliberately charged the tank containing the water supply, but was fortunately shot by a Boer teamster before he did any damage.

Even in the neighborhood of the railway the lions have a very bad reputation, and are known at Kiu Station as "bad" lions. It is not an uncommon thing for the trains to be stopped because the Indian stationmaster cannot leave his house to set the signals until the lions had cleared off.

#### THE LAST SECTION

of the journey was extremely arduous, and the waggon transport, as well as horses, had to be abandoned. The precipitous cliffs were impossible for animals, and we decided that the only way to get through was to make a bee-line on foot over the mountains.

During this stage two of the Europeans got lost among the rocks and passed an anxious night, sleep being out of the question with the lions threatening them all the time. At length, after a march of fourteen hours, they were found by a search party from camp.

During the expedition Mr. Sheffield discovered and ascended a new mountain peak near Lake Magadi, which is unmarked on any map. It rose 2,500 feet above the plain, and was very difficult of ascent owing to the loose rocks. From the top where Mr. Sheffield left records in a bottle, he obtained a magnificent view extending right into German East Africa and the Rift Valley.

#### RATHER STARTLING FIGURES.

11,000,000 Articles Posted Daily—Postal Statistics.

According to figures just published in the Archives Postales there are at present 271,000 postoffices in the world spread over ninety-seven States which cover an area of 30,000,000 square miles. The United States possesses the greatest number of postoffices, 62,663; Germany comes second with 49,828 offices and the United Kingdom third with 23,778 offices. Russia has 18,000, France 13,000 and Italy and Austria each 9,500 offices.

The average daily postal business of the world amounts to 110,000,000 mail pieces of all sorts, representing on the estimated value of the contents of registered letters a sum of 868,600,000. The number of the world's postal officials is 1,292,247, to which Germany furnishes the strongest contingent, 314,251. There are 767,989 mail boxes in the world.

"Give me a ham sandwich," shouted the traveller at the bar of the refreshment-room. Two seconds later he complained to the attendant, "That was the worst sandwich I ever had. No more taste than sawdust, and not big enough to see." "You've got yer ticket," returned the attendant contemptuously; "this here's yer ham sandwich."

succeed on a larger scale will be able gradually to build up their business until such time as they feel able to cut everything else but the squab raising.

Among a good many farmers the right curing of farm meats has become almost a lost art. It is a real pleasure to visit one of those old-time farms which produce something of everything, cattle, sheep, hogs and, of course, fowls. The delight of sausage-making and trying out lard and smoking the shoulders and hams and putting meat down in brine will always live in the mind of the boy on the farm who has helped at such work.

It is becoming generally known that stock kept in artificially heated buildings, or even in some of the modern air-tight stables, suffer more than their less favored brothers who know the chill of winter and the heat of summer, growing hardy and strong in the sunshine and snow. This is also true of poultry. Fowls kept in close-fitting coops with no ventilation and little exercise are not famous for longevity, health or egg production. Have the door opening to the south, and a good large one at that, and even during the severe winter weather keep this open as much as possible during the daytime, closing it at sundown.

#### FARM NOTES.

Select for fall plowing the stubborn, refractory clay soil, and on all fields not fall-plowed have cover crops growing, to be plowed under in spring.

Chemical or commercial fertilizers are marked by a high degree of availability. In a majority of cases the actual plant food is largely at once soluble in water. For this reason such manures give immediate results, except when seasons are very abnormal or the tillage very low grade.

If the farmers of our country would make their stables so warm that water would not freeze in them in an ordinarily cold night, one third more animals could be kept on the same feed as now used. Tar paper and cheap lumber do not cost so much as hay and grain to keep up animal heat. While paper and lumber cost only once, feed costs every winter.

#### THE SHAH'S HIGHWAY.

It is true we have some bad roads, but most of our highways compared with those of Persia would be as a paved street to a ploughed field. You would think that the keeping of the Shah's highway would be one of the first cares of a State, yet so little attention has been given to this subject by the Parisian Government that there are not a dozen good wagon roads throughout the whole country. The caravan routes are, except in a very few cases, merely trails. Not only are the wagon roads bad as well as scarce but it is an astonishing fact that although Persia is one of the oldest of civilized States, a country comprising an area of 628,000 square miles and a population of 9,000,000, she has but six miles of railway.

Mock Oysters.—Chop fine a pound and a half of fresh pork; season with salt and pepper and minced onion; add half the quantity of bread soaked in water until soft and squeezed dry. Mix with two eggs well beaten, shape into patties and fry in drippings. Garnish with parsley and sliced lemon.



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with Canadian money by Canadian workmen, upon the Conservative side there is a hopeless and ludicrous diversity of opinion.

While these men voted unanimously for the resolution of March 29 last they went about the country afterwards, each one taking a different view, and expressing ideas which his audience might be expected to accept.

When Parliament assembled again the Conservatives met day after day in an attempt to harmonize these views, and bring some sort of order out of chaos, but without success. Upon the first reading of the bill, three Conservatives spoke. Mr. Borden did not think the bill went far enough. Mr. Monk thought it went too far, and Mr. Jamieson had no decided views upon the question, but wanted the whole thing submitted to the people.

### Left It To Borden.

After days of wrangling the Conservative press stated that the party left the matter in the hands of Mr. Borden, to act as he thought fit. In other words some of the men who had been pledging themselves to one course and another during recess, agreed to sacrifice their views and those of their constituents in the interests of the party, and submit to anything Mr. Borden had to propose.

It must be remembered that in the party were men who were absolutely opposed to any navy. There were some in favor of a money contribution and these men are not included in the above.

### Party in a Muddle.

The Conservative party is in a muddle. The proposition of Mr. Borden is regarded as being not only inconsistent but ridiculous. To make this clear the policy of the Government and that of Mr. Borden are set out below in short.

### Compare the Policies.

The Government policy is one which was not only suggested by the admiralty but meets with the approval of the Liberals as a whole. It may be described thus:

#### Liberal Plan.

A Canadian navy.  
A Canadian navy built in Canada.  
A Canadian navy built in Canada with Canadian money.  
A Canadian navy built in Canada with Canadian money, by Canadian working men.

A Canadian navy, built in Canada, with Canadian money, by Canadian working men, and under the control of the Canadian Government in time of peace, and the British Admiralty in time of war.

#### Conservative Plan.

The following is the plan as submitted to the House by Mr. Borden:  
To hand over to the British Government at once a sum sufficient to purchase or build two Dreadnoughts (estimated at \$25,000,000).

Then to submit to the people the question, as to whether Canada shall have navy of her own.

People Won't Hesitate.

The people won't hesitate between

\$11,500,000 of the people's money in Canada, where they receive all the benefits accruing from such expenditure.

### Laurier's Plan is Good.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier looks further ahead than the Leader of the Opposition. He looked ahead years ago and saw the time when Canada would be a great nation within the Empire, but he has not forgotten that Canada did not reach her present position without a struggle.

### Don't Read History Aright.

The Conservative party cannot understand any feature of government other than that of the inherent right of the Tories to govern other people. They have not read history aright if they fail to admit that what Canada enjoys to-day of self-government was given by British statesmen grudgingly and unwillingly. Canada's history has been a long and unceasing fight for the right of self-government, and Downing street has engaged in a ceaseless struggle to ignore our aspirations in this regard.

Throughout the whole of these troublous times Canadians have been loyal and true to the Motherland.

### Nation Within the Empire.

Sir Wilfrid's aspiration that Canada will become a nation within the Empire is both natural and patriotic. A country such as this cannot be a colony in the restricted meaning of the term. It means simply a plantation. Canada will be a nation, and a great nation, within the Empire. In proportion as Canada grows in population and wealth, will she be a source of strength to the Empire of which she forms a part.

### Time Has Arrived.

The time has arrived for Canada to assume the responsibilities of nationhood. The creation of a Canadian navy will mark an epoch in her history. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's name will go down in history as being the creator of the National Transcontinental Railway, and the founder of the Canadian navy.

### Is There An Emergency?

The attitude of the Conservative party is based upon there being a present emergency—upon the condition that there is imminent peril at the moment from Germany. If no peril exists the Opposition have no case. If there is no present emergency their arguments fail of their own weakness. The following statement was recently made before the Liverpool Reform Club by Mr. Asquith. Prime Minister of England.

Let me say then, once for all, and I speak with full deliberation, and after careful and prolonged enquiry, that the navy to-day is able to maintain, not only this year, but in the years that lie before us, our supremacy at sea—(cheers)—and should the necessity arise, which God forbid, to guarantee the integrity of our commerce and the the inviolability of our Empire (Loud cheers). The sister service, the army, is reaping now in full measure the benefit of the fore-sight and the constructive power and the undefeated energy of Mr. Haldane. Cheers.

This is the statement of the Prime Minister of England. Surely it is of more value, coming from a man speaking with the responsibilities of office, than any denial or opposite view expressed by some obscure member of the Canadian Opposition. Mr. Asquith says he "speaks with deliberation after careful and prolonged enquiry." It may be taken, then, that there is no present emergency, and consequently no necessity for any emergency action on the part of the Liberal Government.

### Another Authority.

Admiral Sir Cyprian Bridge served in the Crimean campaign and in the Indian mutiny; he has been a member

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protect our trade routes in time of war. When the time comes, as it may, when it appears desirable to increase the fighting power of Canada's navy by adding battleships to it, then the wisdom of the Government will, no doubt, be exercised in that direction.

In the meantime Canada is making a start with an all-Canadian navy, and one that will be built according to the wishes of the British Admiralty; and in time of war it will be of material assistance in defending the Empire. Laurier's all-Canadian scheme is the one for the people.

### Something to Be Thankful For.

A Scotchman who had a keen appreciation of the strong characteristics of his countrymen delights in the story of a druggist known both for his thrift and his philosophy.

Once he was aroused from a deep sleep by the ringing of his night bell. He went down to his little shop and sold a dose of rather nauseous medicine to a distressed customer.

"What profit do you make out of that?" grumbled his wife.

"A ha'penny," was the cheerful answer.

"And for that bit o' money you'll lie awake maybe an hour," she said impatiently.

"Never grumble o'er that, woman," was the placid answer. "The dose will keep him awake all night. We must thank heaven we ha' the profit and none o' the pain o' this transaction."

### Shout Breaks a Glass.

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# OTTAWA NEWS.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier last week, moved the second reading of the Naval bill, and before a crowded House, delivered a speech that will take its place among the most erudite, scholarly, patriotic and statesmanlike utterances of any public man of his day and generation.

## Long Standing Policy.

Sir Wilfrid referred to the conference of 1902, at which the policy was clearly defined that:—

"At present Canadian expenditures for defence services are confined to the military side. The Canadian Government are prepared to consider the naval side of defence as well."

Comparing the wealth of the Dominion to-day to what it was in 1902, the prime minister justified his course by saying that "It is simply because it is a necessity of our condition and the status we have reached as a nation."

## Great Britain's Navy.

Alluding to the alleged German war scare, the prime minister ridiculed the idea. Comparing the figures of the German and British navies, he said that the total tonnage of displacement of the British navy in 1912 would be 2,000,000 tons, and that of Germany \$90,000 tons, a difference of 1,100,000 tons in favor of Great Britain. Under such circumstances no danger was to be apprehended.

## No Emergency Exists.

The navy policy of Canada was not to meet an emergency, because no emergency exists, the alleged war scare is a myth and nothing more. There has just been a general election in Great Britain, and nothing was heard of any feared German invasion. Nothing was said about war being imminent with Germany. Nothing was said about the necessity to build Dreadnoughts on the part of the colonies. Nothing was heard of the alleged danger to the Empire. One had to hear all these things from a few dozen Tory politicians in the Opposition.

## Don't All Think Alike.

While there is complete unanimity in the Liberal ranks on the subject of a Canadian navy, built in Canada,

## People Won't Hesitate.

The people won't hesitate between these propositions. The first is truly Canadian; it helps to build up the country; it means that the money to do so will be circulated in the country; it provides investment for capital and employment for labor; it keeps Canadian money in Canada.

The second proposition involves sending out of the country one quarter of the yearly revenue of Canada. It means that one quarter of the taxes paid by the people of Canada will be paid out without any representation or accounting to the people who provide the money. It means that there will be no navy built in Canada. It means that Canadians working men will be deprived of their interest in labor to this amount. It means that no ship-building industries will be constructed in Canada. It means a sinister sacrifice of Canadian autonomy.

## Ridiculous and Inconsistent.

After paying out one quarter of our revenue and having absolutely nothing to say in the expenditure of it, Mr. Borden proposes to refer the subject of a Canadian navy to the people. In other words, he will pay out for navy purposes, outside Canada, the sum of \$25,000,000, without authority of the people, and will afterwards ask authority of the Canadian people to expend \$11,500,000 on a navy of their own.

Mr. Borden suggests spending \$25,000,000 of the people's money without asking their consent and spend it out of the country where they cannot possibly receive any benefit from it, and then suggests asking authority to spend

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## An Eminent Authority.

"The real truth is that our navy is at this moment, so far as the numerical strength of its crews and its ships is concerned, much stronger than that of any foreign power, and quite equal to the so-called two-power standard. There is also no reason to fear that it will not be maintained at its proper strength for years to come."

In face of an authority such as this, what weight can attach to the views of a Tory politician in the Canadian House, whose knowledge of the English navy is obtained from an Almanac? If the navy of Great Britain is up to the strength related here, and the authority is the highest in the world, then there is nothing to "justify the giving of money for two Dreadnoughts, because this plan of giving is founded upon the double assertion that there is an emergency and the British navy is unequal to cope with it."

## Make a Naval Start.

The defence conference saw the importance of the Dominion beyond the seas laying the foundations of future Dominion navies of their own, which forces would contribute immediately and materially to the requirements of Imperial defence. This view met with the approval of the Canadian ministers, and the next step was to hear what the Admiralty had to suggest to put the principle into practical effect. The Admiralty suggested that certain vessels be constructed as the nucleus of a Canadian navy, to this the Canadian ministers agreed and the proposals now before the House are directly in line with the Admiralty suggestions.

## Cruisers Are Wanted.

What Canada wants in the nature of naval defence, is swift cruisers to protect her trade routes. The navy designed by the Government fills this want. In time of war Canada can give the greatest assistance to the Mother Country by relieving the Imperial navy of this duty. All authorities agree that such a fleet would render invaluable assistance at such a time.

## Restored Agrees.

Lord Be. said recently that the Dominions could best help the Motherland, not by spending ten millions on battleships, but by making proposals to defend themselves. He questioned the wisdom of sending to England a large sum of money to build a battleship, the life of which might not be twenty months, and he concluded by offering the following suggestion:—

"If they invested ten millions in home defence, and in having cruisers which could go out and protect their trade routes, he thought it would be a better investment than in helping to defend the shores of England."

## What Laurier Suggests.

What the Laurier Government is doing covers the point exactly. The fleet intended to be constructed in Canada with Canadian money, by Canadian working men, will consist of swift armoured cruisers which will

## Shout Breaks a Glass.

Every one knows that windows will rattle when a loud noise is made in a room, but very few persons know that a glass can be broken by shouting into it. Any ordinary glass which has a clear tone will do for this trick, and the exact nature of its tone can readily be ascertained by passing a moistened finger around its rim. This point being settled, the performer should hold the glass in front of his mouth and shout into it in a tone about an octave higher than that of the glass. The result will be that the glass will break immediately and for the reason that it will not have strength enough to resist the force exerted against it by the waves of air. The thinner the glass is the more easily it will be broken.

## Dumas and "Monte Cristo."

Alexandre Dumas, the great French novelist, never set foot on the island of Monte Cristo. When visiting Elba in 1842 the novelist sailed across to Monte Cristo in the hope of shooting some wild goats. On the point of landing, however, he learned from one of the sailors that, as the island was uninhabited, no boat was allowed to touch there under penalty of six days' quarantine at the next port of call. It was therefore decided not to disembark, but Dumas insisted on rowing all round the island, because, he told his companion, Prince Napoleon, "I intend in memory of this trip with you to give the name of Monte Cristo to some book which I shall write later on."

# SERIOUS KITCHEN ACCIDENT

## What Zam-Buk Saved a Lady

Mrs. Fredk. Bryant, of 169 Railway Ave., Stratford, spent dollars trying to get well, but failed until she tried Zam-Buk. It was this way: "I was in my kitchen preparing supper," she says, "when I upset some boiling water. It fell upon my foot, scalding it badly. Next day the skin came off the foot, and it was so painful I could not walk. I treated it, but instead of getting better it got worse, and finally I had to take to my bed. I was laid up for nine weeks, and in that time I tried all manner of so-called remedies. I had embrocations, dozens of salves, I think, and lotions, but the scald developed into a running sore. I was about beaten by it, when a friend advised me to try Zam-Buk, and I did so. A few applications had the effect of soothing the pain and giving me what I had not had for weeks—a little ease. I persevered with Zam-Buk, and day by day the running sore seemed to get less inflamed and less painful, as the Zam-Buk drew away the poison and reduced the inflammation. In a very short time healing commenced, and rapidly continued until the sore was completely healed. I would hardly have believed that any preparation could have done for me what Zam-Buk did, and I shall never be without a supply in the house." When you have a scald, a burn, a skin sore, an ulcer, or any skin trouble or injury, try Zam-Buk made from the purest of herbal essences, it may be regarded as nature's own healer. Eczema, cold-sores, cracked and chapped hands, children's rashes, chilblains, all yield to its soothing, healing influence. It also eases the agony of piles. All druggists and stores, 50c box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price.

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morning with a feeling of uncer-  
tainty," says an American civil en-  
gineer, who recently returned to the  
United States from western Brazil,  
where a railroad is being constructed  
through the forest. "Of course, a  
surveying party simply has to hew  
its path as it goes along, and your  
camp is usually in a clearing just big  
enough to contain it. About it is a  
thick wall of trees, vines and under-  
growth that a man cannot pierce  
without the aid of an axe, but which  
of course are filled with every man-  
ner of creeping thing."

"When you awake in the morning,  
for instance, you may see a playful  
snake wrapped around the pole over-  
head, giving every appearance of se-  
lecting the proper point from which  
to drop into your mouth. You may  
feel something soft and clammy rub  
up against your ear, and when you  
grab at it to fling it away, you find  
it is a lizard. Or perhaps a scorpion  
may be playing with your hair

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Hatched from a dozen stale eggs;  
that was the beginning of Broken  
Hill, the great silver camp of New  
South Wales, called the world's  
greatest silver camp in fact, although  
Cobalt seems to be usurping the  
title. This is how it came about:  
One day in 1884, when the first of  
the Broken Hill mines was still a  
discouraging prospect, a man drifted  
that way, looked over the ground  
and made up his mind that there  
would soon be other stragglers along  
and that these would want to eat.  
So he hunted up the prospectors and  
offered them a dozen eggs for a  
monopoly of the restaurant privileges  
on their lease. Eggs were as scarce  
as the proverbial hen's teeth in that  
section of the bush country and the  
offer was hungrily accepted. Thus  
was the commercial life of Broken  
Hill inaugurated and never was there  
a worse beginning. Nine of the eggs  
were gone past all hope of redemp-  
tion and the other three were open  
to grave suspicion, but the bargain  
held. Thus it happens that the city  
of Broken Hill, with a present popu-  
lation of 20,000 and a record silver  
production of \$300,000,000, was hatched  
from a dozen eggs that were fit  
for nothing but the discouragement  
of incompetent barnstormers.

Of the world's bonanza mines few  
have given a better account of them-  
selves than those of Broken Hill.  
Think of a mining region in which  
silver-lead ores are quarried in open  
cuts, like sandstone or granite or  
brick clay, and where one remarkable  
mine, the Consols, has a vein (albeit  
a narrow one) that yields ores that  
are 95 per cent. pure silver! The  
Broken Hill proprietary is the largest  
silver producer in the world to-  
day and in the 25 years that have  
passed since the barrier (as the ar-  
gentiferous lode is called) was found,  
its mines have paid more than \$100-  
000,000 in dividends. They have  
yielded silver to the value of \$300-  
000,000, to say nothing of ship loads  
of lead and zinc and no inconsider-  
able quantity of gold and copper and  
there is more high-grade ore "in  
sight" to-day than at any time in the  
past.

Like most of the world's great  
mines, the discovery of the Broken  
Hill barrier illustrates the prover-  
bial "luck of fools and tenderfeet."  
In 1869 Charles Rasp left his old  
home in Germany to seek his for-  
tune. Apparently he didn't find it in  
a hurry, for in 1884 he was only a  
"boundary rider"—and that is a bush  
country euphemism for sheep herder  
—killing time and ambition on one  
of the dreariest stretches of salt bush  
and mulga bush that ever New  
South Wales afforded. The country  
roundabout had been prospected be-  
fore and was believed to be barren of  
valuable minerals. However, Rasp  
noticed that it was a peculiar coun-  
try that he traversed every day and  
he decided there must be something  
of value in the odd-looking outcrops  
of "ironstone" and the malformed  
hills.

He knew nothing of geology nor of  
mineralogy, but made a guess that  
the something "might be" tin. So he  
"pegged a block" (for no one  
"stakes a claim" in Australia) and  
rusted for help to develop his prob-  
lematical tin mine. He succeeded  
in getting together a syndicate com-  
posed of himself and six others (all  
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more caustic tongue than the late  
King Leopold of Belgium when he  
chose to exercise it. Once a dispute  
was raging in the Belgian army as to  
whether the words of command should  
be given in Flemish or French. Nei-  
ther side would give in, and at length  
it was agreed that King Leopold  
should decide the matter. The aged  
monarch asked for a week in which to  
consider the question. At the end of  
that period he summoned the leading  
generals and announced that he had  
decided that in future all orders  
should be given in Esperanto. Need-  
less to say, the disputants managed  
to come to some amicable arrange-  
ment.

### The Suspension Bridge.

There is no doubt that the first idea  
of a suspension bridge was suggested  
to primitive man by the interlacing  
of tree branches and parasitical  
plants across rivers. Probably mon-  
keys used them before men did. In  
very mountainous countries, such as  
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"Knocking wood for luck, eh?" grinned Wickley as he passed on, while the janitor chuckled.

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## WASHED AWAY HIS HOME.

The Fortune That Came to a Man and His Clever Wife.

An Irishman named Whalen found a fortune in a very amusing way, says the Cape Town Argus. With the savings of his wife he bought not far from Ballarat a few acres of ground containing a water pool and a sluggish spring. With the mud and gravel from the bottom of the pool he made sun-dried bricks and, building a cabin for himself and family, started a bar for the miners.

Quite contrary to their usual habits, a colony of Chinamen living near by commenced to visit his bar every night. Then Mrs. Whalen discovered that some one had bit by bit carried off the mud pigstye and its surrounding wall so gradually that it had almost gone before she noticed it. Soon the chimney and the cabin walls also began to vanish. After a careful watch Mrs. Whalen discovered that while one band of Chinamen kept her husband busy in the bar another band was stealing the chimneys and walls.

Whalen knew the Chinamen were no fools, and, acting on his wife's suggestion, he also "stole a pan of dirt" from his own chimney and washed it out. Then he ordered tents for his family to live in and washed away the entire house. It was literally built of gold dust. After that the pool and the spring were also attacked, and the result was a big fortune for the lucky Irishman and his cute little wife.

## MONKEYS IN BATTLE

They Fight Under Leaders and Roll Stones on Enemies.

Aesop's ape, it will be remembered, wept on passing through a human graveyard, overcome with sorrow for its dead ancestors, and that all monkeys are willing enough to be more like us than they are they show by their mimicry.

An old authority tells that the easiest way to capture apes is for the hunter to pretend to shave himself, then to wash his face, fill the basin with a sort of birdlime and leave it for the apes to blind themselves. If the Chinese story is to be believed the imitative craze is even more fatal in another way, for if you shoot one monkey of a band with a poisoned arrow its neighbor, jealous of so unusual a decoration, will snatch the arrow from it and stab itself, only to have it torn away by a third, until in succession the whole troop has committed suicide.

In their wild life baboons as well as many varieties of the monkey tribe undoubtedly submit to the authority of recognized leaders. There is co-operation between them to the extent that when fighting in company one will go to the help of another which is hard pressed.

In rocky ground they roll down stones upon their enemies, and when making a raid, as on an orchard which they believe to be guarded, the attack is conducted on an organized plan, sentries being posted and scouts thrown out, which gradually feel their way forward to make sure that the coast is clear, while the main body remains in concealment behind until told that the road is open.

From the fact that the sentries stay posted throughout the raid, getting for themselves no share of the plunder, it has been assumed that there must be some sort of division of the proceeds afterward. Man, again, has been differentiated from all other creatures as being a tool using animal, but more than one kind of monkey takes a stone in its hand and with it breaks the nuts which are too hard to be cracked with the teeth.—London Globe.

## How Eskimo Women Die.

On her first entrance to her new hut of snow an Eskimo woman is buoyed by hope of welcoming a son. What of her last incoming to those narrow confines? She knows that the medicine man has decided that her sickness is mortal when she is laid upon her bed of snow. She gazes upon the feebly burning lamp beside her, upon food and drink set close at her hand. She sees her loved ones pass out of the doorway that needs no tunnel entrance to keep chill airs away, for presently the door is sealed with snow. The chill of death pierces through her enveloping furs. Her tomb insures that no long tarrying will be hers. The soul, companionship with her, may refresh itself with food; but, starving and freezing, her feeble body will witness even that soul's departure and know that its hour has come to perish alone.—Harper's Bazar.

## Paying For the Spots.

"I conceived a perfectly dandy scheme for saving my table linen and teaching Jack to be dainty about his carving," said a young married woman. "Every time he gets a spot on the tablecloth I have him cover it with a coin. The larger the spot the larger the coin, and more often than not it takes paper money to cover it all. Then Norah takes up the money when she clears the table, and we save it up to buy kitchen utensils."—New York Press.

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## A Shooting Match

At Which One of the Parties Was Sure to Win.

By AINSWORTH RHODES.

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The first time I saw Daisy she was coming over her father's broad acres on a horse whose lope was very like a rocking chair. She was riding straddle with divided skirts. No other woman on the ranches thereabout would ride in any other costume. Barker was riding beside her, and the two made a very handsome pair. The brim of his sombrero was flattened against his forehead by the wind, a lariat hung at his saddle bow, and his splendid figure was revealed by his costume—viz. flannel shirt and trousers, with boots to his knee.

Daisy had gone out from the east with her father, who became a sheep raiser, and she had become fascinated with ranch life. Unfortunately she had conceived a romantic idea of the genus cowboy, and Barker being physically a perfect type, she had persuaded herself, or rather, he had persuaded her, that he was just the man for her. I say "unfortunately" because he was not an educated man and in every way beneath her. There were other features about him to render him undesirable which will appear presently.

The couple passed me, all of us saluting, though they were unknown to me, and I rode on to the ranch house, where I had business with John Nolan with reference to a large purchase of wool. While dickering with him on his veranda up the roadway came the couple I had met and alighted at the foot of the steps. Throwing their bridle reins over a post, they walked up on to the veranda. Then I learned that Daisy was Nolan's daughter.

As the pair passed into the house I noticed a cloud flit over the face of the girl's father. I knew by Barker's bearing toward her that he was in love with her, and I judged that his attention was not satisfied by Nolan. But

ever, he was satisfied with what he had doubtless intended for a warning that if I took Daisy Nolan away from him I would have to face sure death. The witnesses urged me to go in and have something, but I declined, saying that I was anxious for a smoke and would go upstairs for another pipe. The truth is I wanted a chance to go where I could, unobserved, give way to my feelings for a few moments, they having been controlled only by a most desperate effort.

When I was alone I staggered to the bed, fell on it and for a few minutes trembled like a leaf. But when I began to recover I started to get mad at the same time. Men will fight more desperately for a woman than for any other cause, and it occurred to me that, Daisy being the boue of contention, if she preferred me either Barker or I must die. I spent some time considering what to do, then went to the ranch, intending to offer myself to Daisy. If she refused me I would leave the field at once to all suitors. If she accepted me I would have it out with Barker.

I found Miss Daisy very much excited. She had heard of Barker's shooting escapade and had turned bitterly against him. I told her that I wanted her and if she wanted me I was willing to settle the matter between Barker and myself. Her reply was all I could have asked for, but she positively forbade my coming into collision with my rival. I told her frankly that I believed he would kill me if I married her and that the matter had better be settled before the wedding. Being a woman, she wished to get round the matter by subterfuge and for the time being would consent to nothing definite.

Daisy was very fond of an old rancher called Jake Hutchins. To her he was "Uncle Jake." A day or two after Barker's shooting as I was riding over the country on horseback Hutchins came up behind me and ambled alongside of me.

"I hear about the shootin' o' your pipe unten yer mouth," he said. "Little Daisy was telling me about it."

"Oh, it was Miss Nolan who told you, was it?"

"Yes. And, what's more, she asked me to suggest some way o' settlin' the matter without blood spillin'."

"That's impossible," said I.

"So I thort at fust, but arter awhile I thort of a plan. Barker's mighty proud o' his shootin', and he's pretty much made up his mind that he's lost Daisy. I reckon he'd agree to settle the matter by a trial o' skill between him and you. He'd consider it his only chance."

"I'm no shot. Such a contest would give Miss Daisy to him, and she doesn't want him."

"Not so fast. You don't need to be much o' a shot. Could you hit a hen's egg at twenty feet?"

"I might in two or three shots."

"Well, I give Daisy my plan, and she's decided to try it. Here's a note for you, and here's a note for Barker. Whichever hits a hen's egg with a forty-two the most outen five shots she'll marry."

He handed me a note to that effect from Daisy and showed me another he was commissioned to deliver to Barker.

"Do you consent?" he added, drawing rein.

"Yes," I said; "I consent to anything Daisy desires."

Without waiting for more he turned about and rode back in the direction from whence he came.

The next day Uncle Jake informed me that Barker had gladly agreed to the terms.

On the appointed day I made my appearance at the barn, wondering what was to be the result of this

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let me, a poor shot, beat the best shot in the territory. He would not tell me. Barker was never seen there again. Daisy had induced him to sign a promise that if I beat him he would leave the field clear for me.

I married Daisy and took her east with me. She said she had had enough of the wild west and had no further use for cowboys, not considering them the romantic creatures she had thought them when she first went to the country. She learned the secret of the shooting match from Uncle Jake the day we were married and told it to me on our wedding journey. The meat had been taken from the egg Barker shot at, and the featherweight shell had been moved aside each time by the wind of the ball. To hit it was impossible.

Uncle Jake had learned the trick from a prestidigitator who had passed through the locality with a circus.

THEIR FATHERS.

All Three Were Trimmers, but One Was a Star.

The story, long since familiar, of the little boy whose boast that his father had put a cupola on his house was capped by his playmate, who remarked proudly that his father had just put a mortgage on theirs, is brought to mind by an occurrence which was told the other day by a prominent politician.

The small son of a man who was in politics for revenue only on moving into a new district went out and struck up an acquaintance with two other kids of the same age who lived in the neighborhood. They were interested in the newcomer and began to try him out as to what his parents amounted to anyhow.

"My father is a window trimmer and an awfully big man," said the first kid.

"Ah, that's nothin'," said the second. "My father's a dump trimmer, and he's twice as big as yours."

It was plainly up to the stranger to make good. And he did it with much gusto.

"My father is a politician," he said. "but I heard a man tell him last night that he was the biggest trimmer in this ward."

And it was apparent to any one that the new kid had made a strong impression upon the neighborhood.—New York Herald.

Wood Too Hard to Burn.

There are certain kinds of wood that are too hard to burn or refuse to ignite for some other reason, such as ironwood and the good briar root, but it is a curiosity to come across a piece of common deal—the soft, light wood of which so many boxes are made—that cannot be set fire to. The piece of wood in question was common white deal from Sweden, but was remarkable for its comparative weight. It had formed part of a boat belonging to a whaler and had been dragged below the surface of the water to the depth of more than half a mile by a harpooned whale. The length of line and the short distance from the point of descent after being struck at which the whale rose to the surface was a proof of the depth to which it had dragged the boat. Only part of the boat came up again at the end of the line, and it was taken on board when the whale had been killed. That piece of wood was so hard that it would not burn in a gas jet. The weight of water had compressed it.—London Standard.

They Were "Over."

He was a regular patron of the restaurant. Perhaps that is why he felt justified in making clever remarks to the waitresses, remarks which they were nuzzled to know how to answer.

WILTON.

For last week.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, Monday evening, there was a fairly good attendance at the "At Home" in the Presbyterian church. The Odessa orchestra furnished a generous amount of excellent music, while the choir added some numbers, and Mrs. MacInnes pleased all with her rendition of "Ye Banks and Braes." Rev. W. S. P. Boyce, B. D., and Rev. J. P. MacInnes, chairman, gave very interesting addresses. Cake, sandwiches and coffee were served by the ladies. The collection, in aid of the organ fund, amounted to over \$18.

D. A. Nesbit, I. P. S., held meetings at Wilton and Thorpe schools on Wednesday and Friday respectively of last week to consider the cost and benefits of sustaining a continuation class at Odessa school, but most of the ratepayers seem satisfied with the convenience of Newburgh school, without incurring any further expense. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davison and children, Oxbow, Sask., who have been visiting friends in this and neighboring villages, left for their home on Monday.

Alfred Miller, Sandhurst, was in Wilton last Tuesday.

A large load attended Murvale carnival, Tuesday evening of last week.

STANLEY AS A FIGHTER.

His Revenge on the Africans For Attacking His Forces.

In the following language Sir Henry M. Stanley describes an attack of natives upon his party during one of his African expeditions: "The leviathan bears down on us with racing speed, its consorts on either flank spurring the water into foam and shooting up jets with their sharp prows. A thrilling chant from 2,000 throats rises louder and louder on our bearing. Presently the poised spears are launched, and a second later my rifles respond with a ripping, crackling explosion, and the dark bodies of the canoes and paddlers rush past us.

"For a short time the savages are paralyzed, but they soon recover. They find there is death in those flaming tubes in the hands of the strangers, and with possibly greater energy than they advanced they retreat, the pursued becoming the pursuers in hot chase. My blood is up. It is a murderous world, and I have begun to hate the filthy, vulturous shoals who inhabit it.

"I pursue them upstream, up to their villages. I skirmish in their streets, drive them pellmell into the woods beyond and level their ivory temples. With frantic haste I fire their butts and end the scene by towing their canoes into midstream and setting them adrift."

RAVENOUS EATERS.

Gluttony of Soliman and the Appetite of Louis XIV.

Touching the matter of eating, the stories told by the old chroniclers and historians of the abnormal appetites of certain Roman and oriental men of note fairly stagger belief.

Gibbon tells of Soliman, a caliph in the eighth century, who died of acute indigestion in his camp near Chaleis, in Syria, just as he was about to lead an army of Arabs against Constantinople. He had emptied two baskets of eggs and figs, which he swallowed alternately, and the repast was finished with marrow and sugar. In a pilgrimage to Mecca the same caliph had eaten with impunity at a single meal seventy pomegranates, a kid, six fowls and a huge quantity of the grapes of the land.

Such a statement would defy belief even in the case of a stoutest glutton.

DESERONTO.

Feb. 19—The Adolphustown hockey team played a return game on Monday evening on Bruyca's rink and were defeated by a score of 7 to 3. The T. A. S. hockey team, of Belleville met the local team, on Thursday evening on Bruyca's rink, and was defeated by score of 5 to 2. The high school hockey team played a game against the bankers on Wednesday evening, the high school coming out victorious.

Miss Laura Moore is in Toronto attending the millinery openings.

Miss Ella Joyce left this week for Toronto after having spent a few months with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Joyce, Green street. She has accepted a position in St. Catharines for the spring season of millinery.

Miss Harland has taken the store lately occupied by Miss Vanaalstine.

P. Slavin & Co. have taken the store, corner of Green and St. George streets, formerly occupied by Frank T. McMaster.

Fred Sexsmith has bought the grocery business of Mrs. L. Werden.

A tea will be given at the home of Mrs. W. J. McMicking, on Tuesday afternoon in aid of church of the Redeemer.

Mrs. Charles Bruyca went to Hotel Dieu on Wednesday, to undergo a serious operation.

Miss Lottie Brown went on Friday to Belleville hospital.

Mrs. Roy Moore and little daughter, of Napanee, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Edward Bruyca, Sr.

Mrs. P. Fox accompanied Mrs. C. Bruyca to Kingston on Wednesday.

Mrs. P. Slavin is to reside on Green-side in the property of E. J. Evans.

After a lingering illness of five years there passed away on Thursday, Feb. 17th, Mrs. Elizabeth Collier, relict of the late Ellis Collier, of South Bay, aged seventy-four years, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. J. McFaul. She is survived by five children, two boys and three girls. The funeral was held on Saturday, service being conducted by Rev. G. H. Copeland, of the Methodist church, of which deceased was a member. The remains were placed in the vault at Deseronto cemetery.

Sensible Sandy.

While passing by an old fashioned inn in Scotland the tourists were attracted by an ancient bagpiper, who was tooting atrocious sounds through an instrument that was both dilapidated and squeaky. "Great Jericho, Sandy!" exclaimed one in desperation. "Why don't you have your bagpipes repaired?" And the old man ceased playing and looked up in astonishment. "Havers, mon, ye dinna understand! If ma bagpipes were in good tune the inn mon winna give me 2 shillings to move on."

Wind Velocity.

The majority of people are unable to determine the wind's velocity. When the smoke from a chimney moves in a straight, vertical column, it means that a one to two miles an hour breeze is blowing. A three miles an hour wind will just stir the leaves on the trees. Twenty-five miles an hour will sway the trunks; at forty the small branches will break, and it takes a mile a minute gale to snap the trunks of big trees.—London Answers.

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Fuddy—What a happy world this would be if more of us got what we wanted! Dudy—Yes, or else fewer of us got what we deserved.—Boston Transcript.

Comforting the Sick.

Louise Jebb—And tell Tom not to worry about me. Mary—I did. He said he wouldn't. "The horrid brute!"—Life.

The song that nerves a nation's heart is in itself a deed.—Tennyson.

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of wood was so hard that it could not burn in a gas jet. The weight of water had compressed it.—London Standard.

**They Were "Over."**  
He was a regular patron of the restaurant. Perhaps that is why he felt justified in making clever remarks to the waitresses, remarks which they were puzzled to know how to answer. One day, however, the smallest and timidiest girl happened to be serving this irritating customer, and it fell to her to answer him in kind.

"I'll have some steak," he said, coming in late for dinner, "and some squash, and some— Got some baked potatoes, fine, brown baked potatoes?" "Baked potatoes are all over," said the girl.

He leaned back in his chair and gazed at her quizzically. "Baked potatoes all over, are they?" he replied. "All over what?" "With," she replied simply.—Youth's Companion.

**Chivalrous Johnnie.**  
"What's the matter, dear?" "I have just had a fight with Johnnie over dividin' the candy you gave us." "Was there no one to take your part?" "Yes'm; Johnnie took it."—Houston Post.

**A Crucial Stab.**  
Katie—What a lovely ring! Matie—Isn't it? This ring was given me on my twenty-first birthday. Katie—Really? Why, how well preserved it is! It's hardly a bit worn!—Cleveland Leader.

**Her Choice.**  
"May I offer you my umbrella and my escort home?" "Many thanks. I will take the umbrella."—Ellegende Blatter.

**A Jolt For the Doctor.**  
Among the patients in a certain hospital there was recently one disposed to take a dark view of his chances for recovery. "Cheer up, old man!" admonished the youthful medic attached to the ward wherein the patient lay. "Your symptoms are identical with those of my own case four years ago. I was just as sick as you are. Look at me now!" The patient ran his eyes over the physician's stalwart frame. "What doctor did you have?" he finally asked feebly.

**Making Sure.**  
Some years ago there was a trial for murder in Ireland in which the evidence was so palpably insufficient that the judge stopped the case and directed the jury to return a verdict of not guilty.

A well-known lawyer, however, who wished to do something for the fee he had received for the defence, claimed the privilege of addressing the court. "We'll hear you with pleasure, Mr. B," said the judge, "but to prevent accident we'll first acquit the prisoner."

**Advice.**  
"Nobody listens to advice." "You're wrong. One fellow always does." "Who's that?" "The fellow who's giving it."—Cleveland Leader.

**No Difference.**  
Jinks—Which women have the worst tempers, blonds or brunettes? Binks—My wife has been both, and I could not see any difference.—New York Times.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

ple. He had emptied two baskets of eggs and fies, which he swallowed alternately, and the repast was finished with marrow and sugar. In a pilgrimage to Mecca the same caliph had eaten with impunity at a single meal seventy pomegranates, a kid, six fowls and a huge quantity of the grapes of Tayef.

Such a statement would defy belief were not others of a similar character well avouched. Louis XIV could hardly boast of an appetite as ravenous as Soliman's, but he would eat at a sitting four platefuls of different soups, a whole pheasant, a partridge, a plateful of salad, mutton hashed with garlic, two good sized slices of ham, a dish of pastry and finish this ample repast with fruit and sweetmeats.—London Saturday Review.

**Victorian Gods.**  
If Thackeray, with a brain weighing fifty-eight and one-half ounces, had the biggest head among Victorian writers who had the best features? The choice would seem to lie between Tennyson and Henry Taylor. "That man must be a poet," remarked one of his Cambridge contemporaries when he first saw Tennyson come into the hall at Trinity, and another friend described him in his undergraduate days as a feet high, broad chested, strong limbed, his face Shakespearean, with deep eyelids; his forehead ample, crowned with dark wavy hair; his head finely poised, his hand the admiration of sculptors. But time dealt none too gently with Tennyson, whereas Henry Taylor, always a distinguished looking man, seems to have grown singularly majestic with years. Grant Duff, meeting him when he was over eighty, notes that "Taylor looks more like Jupiter than ever," and contemporary memoirs are full of references to his Jove-like appearance.—London Standard.



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GENERAL PASSENGER TIME TABLE,  
Eastern Standard Time. No. 31 Taking effect Dec 1st, 1906.

Hannockburn and Tamworth to Napanee and Deseronto.					
Stations	Miles	No.12	No.40	No.4	No.6
Lve Hannockburn	0	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Allans	5	7:00	7:30	7:30	7:00
Queensboro	10	7:05	7:35	7:35	7:05
Bridgewater	14	7:10	7:40	7:40	7:10
Tweed	20	7:15	7:45	7:45	7:15
Lve					
Stocco	24	7:20	7:50	7:50	7:20
Larkins	27	7:25	7:55	7:55	7:25
Maribank	33	7:30	8:00	8:00	7:30
Erinsville	37	7:35	8:05	8:05	7:35
Tamworth	40	8:00	2:10	4:15	
Wilson	44				
Enterprise	46	8:25	2:30	4:35	
Mudlake Bridge	48				
Moscow	51	8:37	2:42	4:47	
Galsbraith	53				
Yarker Junction	55	8:48	3:00	4:55	
Lve					
Yarker	55		3:02	5:05	
Camden East	59		3:15	5:38	
Thomson's Mills	60				
Newburgh	61		3:35	5:48	
Strathcona	63		3:35	5:58	
Napanee	69		3:50	6:13	
Lve					
Napanee	69			6:45	
Deseronto	75			6:55	

Deseronto and Napanee to Tamworth and Hannockburn.					
Stations	Miles	No.1	No.41	No.3	No.5
Lve Deseronto	0	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Arr Napanee	9	7:00	7:30	7:30	7:00
Lve Napanee	9	7:05	12:0	4:25	
Strathcona	15	8:05	12:15	4:40	
Newburgh	17	8:14	12:25	4:50	
Thomson's Mills	18				
Camden East	19	8:30			
Arr Yarker	23	8:45	12:35	5:00	
Lve Yarker	23	9:00	12:40	5:15	
Galsbraith	25				
Moscow	27	9:20	1:07	5:45	
Mudlake Bridge	30				
Enterprise	32	9:35	1:20	6:05	
Wilson	34				
Tamworth	38	10:00	1:40	6:20	
Erinsville	41	10:10			
Maribank	45	10:25			
Larkins	45				
Stocco	56	11:00			
Arr Tweed	58	11:15			
Lve Tweed	58				
Bridgewater	64	11:50			
Queensboro	70	12:05			
Allans	73	12:20			
Arr Hannockburn	78	12:40			

Kingston and Sydenham to Napanee and Deseronto.					
Stations	Miles	No.2	No.4	No.5	
Lve Kingston	0	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
G.T.R. Junction	9		1:10		
Glenvale	10		4:29		
Murvale	14		4:39		
Arr Harrowsmith	19		4:55		
Lve Sydenham	23	8:16			
Harrowsmith	19	8:27			
Frontenac	22				
Lve Yarker	26	8:45	8:20		
Yarker	26	9:19	3:02	5:25	
Camden East	30	9:24	3:15	5:38	
Newburgh	31				
Thomson's Mills	32	9:33	3:25	5:45	
Strathcona	34	9:41	3:35	5:58	
Napanee	40	9:53	3:50	6:15	
Lve Napanee West End	40			6:30	
Deseronto	49			6:55	

Deseronto and Napanee to Sydenham and Kingston.					
Stations	Miles	No.1	No.3	No.5	
Lve Deseronto	0	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
Arr Napanee	9	7:00	7:30	7:30	
Lve Napanee	9	7:05	12:0	4:25	
Strathcona	15	8:05	12:15	4:40	
Newburgh	17	8:15	12:25	4:50	
Thomson's Mills	18				
Camden East	19	8:30	12:35	5:00	
Yarker	23	8:45	12:53	5:13	
Lve Yarker	23	9:00		5:25	
Frontenac	27				
Arr Harrowsmith	30	9:10		5:45	
Sydenham	34			6:10	
Lve Harrowsmith	30	9:10			
Murvale	34				
Glenvale	39				
G.T.R. Junction	47	9:50			
Arr Kingston	49	10:00			

**LOCAL WORKING TIME TABLE.**

NAPANEE TO DESERONTO and PICTON.			
Leave Napanee	Arrive Deseronto	Leave Deseronto	Arrive Picton
7:15 a.m.	7:35 a.m.		
7:30 "	8:10 "	7:00 a.m.	8:30 a.m.
10:30 "	10:50 "	1:40 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
11:50 a.m.	12:10 p.m.		
1:25 p.m.	1:45 "	5:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
4:30 "	4:50 "		
6:50 "	7:10 "	7:00 a.m.	8:30 a.m.
8:15 "	8:35 "		

PICTON TO DESERONTO and NAPANEE.			
Leave Picton	Arrive Deseronto	Leave Deseronto	Arrive Napanee
6:00 a.m.	7:25 p.m.	9:50 a.m.	10:10 a.m.
9:50 a.m.	11:20 a.m.	11:20 a.m.	11:40 a.m.
		12:20 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
		3:45 p.m.	4:05 "
		6:10 "	6:30 "
		7:40 "	8:00 "
		12:40 a.m.	1:05 a.m.
		7:00 "	7:20 "
		7:15 "	7:35 "

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"What's a martyr, father?" asked the only scion of the Morse household, aged eight. Mr. Morse answered him with deliberation.

"There aren't many now-a-days, sonny," he said, "excepting self-made ones."

"What are they?" persisted Ned.

"I couldn't name all the varieties to you," said Mr. Morse, "but to give a general instance, Ned, they are the people who wear heavy hats because they are the fashion, and then suffer from headaches."

"And the people that go without overcoats, Ned, because it is considered the thing to do, and then have stiff backs," said Mrs. Morse, sweetly.

"And those that accept office as treasurer of a society for the honor of it, when it takes them an hour to add seventeen and forty-three," said Mr. Morse.

The boy looked puzzled, and he was not enlightened when his mother said:

"And those who are growing a little deaf, like me, Ned. I don't always catch even what your father says."

Then the heads of the Morse household broke into one of those laughs which Ned could never understand, and which came without apparent cause.

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## THE MYSTERY CLEARED UP;

OR, THE HERITAGE OF MADAME  
YALTA.

### CHAPTER II.—(Continued.)

The child uttered a cry of joy. She came toward them, and extending her hand to her cousin, inquired for the health of the poor boy.

"He is very well," replied Maxime. "I went to his grandmother's for him, and am taking him to walk by way of diversion. See what a good boy I am become. May I ask where you are going?"

"It is a secret," replied Alice, "but I will take you into my confidence. I am going to sit for my portrait. It is to be a surprise for my father."

"Where does your artist live?" "Corner of Rue de Lisbonne and Rue de Courcelles. If you take Georget back to his grandmother, it is almost your route; will you come with us?"

"And you can tell us on the way about a lady who is dying to know my pupil—the Countess Yalta."

"The Countess Yalta!" repeated Maxime, who little expected to hear Madame Martineau pronounce this name.

"Yes, sir, this noble lady came to your uncle's an hour ago, and has expressed a desire to see your cousin. M. Dorgères did his best to decline the honor she wished to confer on his daughter. He is of the opinion that a foreigner who drives four horses is not the most suitable associate for a young lady. But the countess insisted so, that he was compelled to put her off with some evasive reply. So she left, saying she would return. We have been at a loss to account for this passion for Alice, and hoped you might have the answer to the riddle. Between ourselves, your uncle thinks she is crazy."

Maxime was not quite of this opinion, but he was amazed that the countess whom he had left extended on a couch had so soon after driven out in spite of the orders of Dr. Villagos.

"See here, my dear Alice," he said, after a pause, "you know that Jules Vignory is my friend and cannot surely suspect me of a desire to injure him. Well, honesty obliges me to tell you that the countess undertakes to establish the innocence of M. de Carnoel."

Alice turned pale and made no reply, but Madame Martineau exclaimed: "What concern is it of this stranger's? And you, sir, cannot you see that you distress your cousin by recalling a past that she voluntarily ignores? And you must acknowledge that it sounds strangely to hear you undertake the cause of a man whom you were the first to accuse."

"I do not defend him; it is the countess who does. I seek only for the truth. She is convinced that M. de Carnoel is innocent, and that if he has not shown himself for a month past, it is because he has fallen into the hands of those who were interested in preventing him from doing so."

"It is absurd," cried the gover-

to whom it belongs!"

"No; yet I fancy I have been in there."

"I shall find out," thought Maxime, whose curiosity began to awaken.

"Whither did you go there?" he resumed aloud. "To take a letter from the office, perhaps?"

"No, I am sure it was not that; I didn't set foot in Rue de Serres that day."

"Here is the Boulevard de Courcelles where you were picked up," he said, pointing to a street which bordered a long wall.

As soon as they passed the corner which bore the municipal placard, the child's eyes brightened, and he exclaimed:

"It was here. I recognize the place. Come, I will show it to you."

After having run about twenty yards Georget stopped.

"Do you see this wall? Well, I fell from there."

"Are you sure of that?"

"Very sure. See, there is some plaster work that has been detached. I struck my head on this large stone at my foot."

"It was not here, however, that you were found. You were lying on the road across the rails of the tramway."

"Some one must have taken me there. I don't remember anything after I made the somersault."

"But why did you climb on the wall?"

"To see what was on the other side."

"And what did you see?"

"Nothing; it is night now."

Maxime made a movement of impatience, but he controlled himself.

"How, diable! did you get up there?"

"I believe it was with a cord. Yes, that was it—a cord with knots, and a hook at the end."

"And where did you get the cord?"

"I have forgotten; but I answer for it that I made use of a knotted cord. It must have broken when I was getting down."

"Let us see, my little Georget. Try to remember once more. You had some idea when you tried to scale the wall?"

"No doubt, but I have forgotten what."

"Think. Take time, and don't be frightened if I press you a little. I am not Vignory, and have no orders to give you. I am your friend—M. de Carnoel was."

Aladdin, in the "Thousand and One Nights," must have been amazed at the appearance of the genie his rubbing had evoked. Maxime Dorgères was not less so when Georget exclaimed:

"M. de Carnoel! It was he! I was looking for him when I climbed up there."

"You knew, then, that he was in that house?" asked Maxime, quick-

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Dodd's Kidney Pills cured Mrs. Richard's Diabetes because Diabetes is a Kidney Disease, and Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Diseases. Mrs. Richard's Rheumatism was caused by her diseased Kidneys failing to take the uric acid out of her blood. When her Kidneys were cured they strained the uric acid out of her blood and her Rheumatism vanished.

The colonel blew out a long puff of Turkish-tobacco smoke, let fall his narghile pipe, and said, somewhat languidly:

"What is the Frenchman doing now?"

"He is asleep, your excellency."

"Or pretends to be. What has he talked about this morning?"

"Of nothing, your excellency. He makes no reply when I inquire for his health."

"Is it good?"

"Very good, excellency. He is scarcely altered. The man is sustained by an iron will."

"Say rather that he is headstrong; that, having reflected upon the situation, he has determined upon silence at whatever cost. Of two evils that threatened he has chosen the lesser."

"It seems to me that if you dispatched him to Siberia his fate would be no enviable one. I hardly see what worse could befall him."

"Vacill, you have no commensense."

"I beg pardon, your excellency; but it seems to me, if this young man could avoid this journey by delivering up the names of his accomplices, he would do well. He has sense enough to understand that it is the only way out of the difficulty."

"Yes, but he has sense enough to know too that those he had betrayed would never forgive him. He knows they have no mercy for traitors. He cannot be ignorant of the history of Serge Lawrowski. It happened only last year at Pultawa. Did you know this Lawrowski?"

"Yes, your excellency. He was one of the most skillful agents of the political police."



little deal, like me. Aed. I don't always catch even what your father says."

Then the heads of the Morse household broke into one of those laughs which Ned could never understand, and which came without apparent cause.

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## CAUTION.

Lizzie, said the young mistress, "I have been looking into the kitchen, and I am shocked to note your carelessness."

"Carelessness, mum?" says Lizzie. "Well, if there's a cleaner kitchen than this in town, I'll—"

"Oh, it is clean enough, as far as that goes. But this morning I noticed that you are leaving the box of matches right beside the can of gunpowder tea."

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a man whom you were the first to accuse."

"I do not defend him; it is the countess who does. I seek only for the truth. She is convinced that M. de Carnoel is innocent, and that if he has not shown himself for a month past, it is because he has fallen into the hands of those who were interested in preventing him from doing so."

"It is absurd," cried the governess.

"It doesn't appear very likely. I confess. You asked me the countess's intentions. You know them now, and can decide what course to pursue. I do not engage you either to see the lady or to decline to enter into any relations with her."

"The question is decided. M. Dorgeres has refused your countess, and is determined to close his house to her."

"My uncle has the right to act as he sees fit."

"But you, Maxime," murmured the girl, "are you—"

"Oh! I know well enough what I am going to do. I shall finish what I have begun. The truth must come out. We are all interested in discovering it."

"Sir," said Madame Martineau, "if your uncle were aware of your projects, he would not thank you for these ill-advised proceedings."

"Dear madame, I should be grieved to displease him, but my part is taken. Alice will not see the countess. I shall continue to see her. Perhaps we are both right. It is late. I promised Madame Piriac to bring Georget back before night. Let me take leave of you and quicken my steps." And having bowed to the governess and pressed his cousin's hand, he walked on to rejoin Georget, whom he had sent on in advance.

"Well, little one," he asked, "are you pleased with your walk?"

"Oh, yes, it is good to breathe the fresh air."

"To-morrow I shall come for you again and we will take a different walk. Perhaps I shall take you to see the countess."

"What countess?"

"The one who has the beautiful house in the Avenue de Friedland."

"Ah! yes, Nadeje."

"Nadeje! You mean the Countess Yalta?"

"Grandmother always calls her Nadeje. Ask her."

Here was another cause of astonishment. Maxime did not know the first name of the countess, and he little expected to hear it spoken by a gamin of Rue Cardinet.

"Ah!" said the boy, "here we are in the street where I have made such nice parties. See the sidewalk before this grand house; it might have been made to play marbles on. I played there two hours the day I broke my paw."

"Ah! really, you recognize the place?"

"Oh, perfectly, it seems as if it was only yesterday. I didn't go to the office in the morning, and I said to myself: 'Just as well not to go at all to-day; they will think I have been ailing.'"

"But you didn't stay there all day?"

"No, I was sauntering round the fortifications; but it seems to me I returned here. I can't tell why."

"It is, parbleu! a splendid mansion. Monumental entrance, superb court. There must be a garden in the rear extending toward Parc Monceaux. If you would like, we can walk around it. Do you know

One Night, must have been amazed at the appearance of the genie his rubbing had evoked. Maxime Dorgeres was not less so when Georget exclaimed:

"M. de Carnoel! It was he! I was looking for him when I climbed up there."

"You knew, then, that he was in that house?" asked Maxime, quickly.

"I saw him go in; it all comes to me now! But I must tell you quickly. Let me see: where was I? Ah! mon Dieu! can I have forgotten? No, I know! In the morning I was playing marbles in the Rue de Vigny. I saw M. de Carnoel arrive in a beautiful carriage; there was a gentleman with him—a gentleman with gold spectacles—and on the box with the coachman a man dressed like an office boy. The gate was opened, the carriage entered, and it closed immediately. I had thought M. de Carnoel had left Paris; and then he looked off by force, and they were shutting him up as in prison. Then I let off the boys to a bastion where the Levallois lads come to play bouillon. Ten minutes after I left them and returned to Rue de Vigny. I wanted to find out if M. de Carnoel had left the house. Ah! then I got up some brass. I rang and asked the porter squarely:

"Is my master here?"

"Who is your master?"

"M. le Marquis Robert de Carnoel."

"I thought he would have swallowed me up."

"Get out, you vermin," and he slammed the door in my face."

"I couldn't break it down, but I hid in the street behind a pile of masonry, and stayed there till night. The carriage came out again at the end of an hour, and M. de Carnoel was not in it. I said to myself, they have shut him up to do him some harm, but I will get him out. Just then I saw a child I knew. His father keeps a gymnasium in the Avenue de Wagram. I gave him ten sous to bring me a good knotted cord with a hook at the end. When eleven o'clock struck there was no one passing on the boulevard. The snow was falling heavily. I came to this spot. I threw up my hook, climbed up on the cord, and placing myself astride on the top of the wall, I looked and saw—"

"M. de Carnoel?"

"Yes; he was standing behind the panes of a large window, and held a candle so that I saw him distinctly. I recognized him perfectly, and think he recognized me, for he made signs."

"And then?" asked Maxime, quickly.

"Then I fell, and I remember no more; it is all gone—all is confusion in my brain. I want to go back to grandmother."

"Come, my friend," said Maxime, who knew enough to act on,

## CHAPTER III.

While Maxime Dorgeres was promenading with Georget, Col. Borissoff, reclining indolently on a divan, was conferring with his attendant, whom he had just summoned. The ex-devant M. Briare, the false representative of the false agency, the man with the fallow visage and the smooth tongue, was standing before his master, awaiting in a respectful attitude his lord's commands.

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"Yes, your excellency. He was one of the most skillful agents of the political police."

"Well, with all his skill he was ensnared by a priest's daughter, a child just seventeen years old, who looked like a saint. She drew him into a garden at night, where the Nihilists awaited him. They cut off his ears and nose, and the poor devil died in consequence of this ugly operation. My prisoner does not desire such an end as that; he prefers the journey to Siberia, and that is the secret of his resistance."

(To be continued.)

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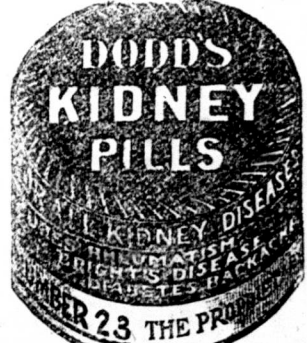
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#### Effects of Civilization on the Natives.

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**Advantages:** Wars have ceased; the islands are kept in perfect order; extreme poverty is almost unknown; every man is secure in his possession of his piece of land; taxes are light and arouse no complaints; the native police are efficient and the native officials admirably honest; the houses are good, the roads clean, and hospitals have been established.

**Disadvantages:** Life is extremely monotonous and circumscribed, intercourse between the islands being forbidden; the old Spartan simplicity of living—chiefly on coconuts and fish—has vanished, and rice, meat, sugar, and biscuits are consumed; "clothes of shocking shape and atrocious color have almost replaced the picturesque kilt of leaves"; native arts and crafts have rapidly declined; decrease of population has set in and the number of sterile marriages is growing quickly; new diseases have been imported, and there is an alarming increase of phthisis.

The islands are of coral, and the highest land is not more than 20 feet above high-water mark. The natives consume daily about seven coconuts per head. They have a Parliament of unpaid members known as kaubure or "talking men," the Gilbert Islanders being, in spite of the scarcity of topics, "the most wonderful talkers in all the South Seas." "The eternal land problem" is the ever-fruitlest theme of endless discussion.

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Mrs. Youngbride — Mrs. Smith says there is lots of cream on her milkbottles every morning. Why is there never any on yours?  
The milkman—I'm too honest, lady, that's why. I fill my bottles so full that there ain't never no room left for cream.

**INTERESTING.**  
"You say that psychic research has led you to some interesting discoveries?"  
"Yes," answered Mr. Lobrow. "I had no idea before that so many of my ancestors played the tambourine and guitar."

**SAME HOUSE.**  
Two wretched-looking tramps were brought before the magistrate. Addressing the worse-looking of the two, he said:—  
"Where do you live?"  
"Nowhere, sir."  
"And where do you live?" addressing the second.  
"I've got the room above him, your worship."

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Seymour—"What was the matter with the other hens?"  
Ashley—"They were sitting."

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# TWO DEAD, MANY INJURED

## Serious Fire in the Gurney-Tilden Stove Works at Hamilton.

A despatch from Hamilton, Ont., says: Caused, it is presumed, by an electric spark igniting some chemicals in the lacquer room, fire broke out about 5.30 on Thursday evening in the enormous plant of the Gurney-Tilden Company, stove manufacturers, resulting in the death of two men, serious injury to three others, lesser wounds to about 75 startled employees, and hair-raising experience for them all.

The dead are:— Henry Bawden, foreman grinding-room; Albert McCully, helper in stove mounting-room. The more seriously injured are:— Fred Wilds, hand and arms burned; S. Hobson, wrist broken; Percy Woodbridge, overcome by smoke.

To over 70 men caught in the upper storeys the only safe mode of escape was the greasy elevator cables, down which they swarmed, hand over hand, by dozens. Others could not maintain their hold and slid down like dead weights, landing on the head of the other men at the foot of the shaft. Bawden and McCully endeavored to reach another part of the building, but were overcome by the smoke, and were discovered, lying dead, half an hour later.

The exact cause of the fire has not been ascertained, but the fire department authorities believe that the electric wires, probably influenced by the fall of snow, became crossed and caused a spark. The location of the spark was the lac-

quer room, where there was stored a quantity of highly inflammable chemicals, which ignited in a burst of flame. The room is on the ground floor, and the men in that department had to do some quick stepping to reach safety. Inside of one minute the entire room was enveloped in a cloud of pungent smoke, which escaped to the upper floors via the elevator shaft and a flight of steps.

The grinding room on the third floor got most of the smoke. It was absolutely impossible to inhale the vapor and live, and the seven men and two boys who worked in the grinding room made quick dashes to liberty. The majority of them rushed to the windows, which they broke. S. Hobson and several others jumped and landed in a life saving net held by the firemen. Others went down a ladder: Bawden and McCully tried to escape by staggering into a different part of the building. That was the last seen of them alive. Half an hour later their bodies were recovered by Fire Chief TenEyck and some of his men only a few feet outside the door of the room from which they had tried to escape. They had been overcome by the smoke and were carried downstairs, where Dr. James Anderson, aided by some firemen, with their first aid-to-the-injured outfits, worked long to restore them. Their efforts were fruitless, as the two unfortunate men were evidently dead before they were found.

## IN PAIN FOR YEARS

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### A BOYCOTT ON LIQUOR.

Socialists in Germany Object to Paying the Alcohol Tax.

A despatch from Berlin says: The Socialist boycott and increased taxes have reduced considerably the consumption of brandy in Germany. Since October 1 the production of alcohol in all forms has declined by 6,380,000 gallons. The Socialists are maintaining the boycott to prevent the empire from securing the intended revenue from the alcohol tax and to rob the agrarians of the benefits which they would secure through the special discrimination in their favor contained in the law.

### MAD MULLAH ON WAR PATH.

Big Force of Dervishes Killing and Burning in Somaliland.

A despatch from Aden, Arabia, says: Mohammed Abdullah of Somaliland, the "mad" Mullah, is again on the warpath. A big force of dervishes has raided the Sultanate of the Mijerets, killing and burning in all directions. The slaughter of the tribesmen was very heavy. One whole town was gutted by fire and 14,000 camels taken by the dervishes. The administration of the Sultanate of the Mijerets is entrusted to the Government of Italian Somaliland.

### RESCUING CHILDREN.

Several Narrow Escapes at a Fire in Ottawa.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Several inmates of an Italian bakery on Somerset street had a narrow escape when the premises were destroyed by fire on Sunday evening. The family of D. Sciarroli, consisting of six children, were in bed when the fire started. They were rescued through a smashed window and handed down to helpers. Mrs. Sciarroli jumped, and no one was injured. The fire itself did \$1,500 damage.

### WON'T DAM NIAGARA.

Decision of Waterways Commission

## THE WORLD'S MARKETS

### REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Dairy Produce at Home and Abroad.

#### BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, Feb. 22—Flour—Ontario wheat 90 per cent, patents, \$4.35 to \$4.30 in buyers' sacks on track, Toronto, and \$4.20 to \$4.25 outside in buyers' sacks. Manitoba flour, first patents, \$5.70; second patents, \$5.20 to \$5.30, and strong bakers', \$5 on track, Toronto.

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 Northern \$1.13, Bay ports, and No. 2 Northern at \$1.11, Bay ports.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 mixed red Winter or white, \$1.07½ to \$1.08½ outside.

Barley—No. 2, 57c outside; No. 3 extra, 55c; No. 3 at 50 to 52c, and feed 48c outside.

Oats—No. 2 Ontario white, 39 to 40c outside, and 42 to 42½c on track, Toronto. Canada West oats, 48c for No. 2, and 42c for No. 3, Bay ports.

Peas—No. 2 for shipment, 82c outside.

Rye—No. 2, 68c outside. Buckwheat—53 to 54c outside for No. 2.

Corn—Kiln-dried No. 3 American 74c, and No. 3 yellow, selected, 71c, Toronto freights. Canadian corn, 66 to 67c, Toronto freights. Canadian corn, 66 to 67c, Toronto freights.

Bran—\$22.50 in bags, Toronto, and shorts at \$24, in bags, Toronto.

#### COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—\$1.50 to \$2 per barrel, according to quality.

Beans—Car lots outside, \$1.85 to \$1.95, and small lots at \$2.10 to \$2.20 per bushel.

Honey—Combs, dozen, 82 to 82.50; extracted, 10½ to 11c per lb.

Baled hay—No. 1 timothy \$13.50 to \$14, and No. 2 at \$12 to \$12.50 on track, Toronto.

Baled Straw—\$7.50 on track, Toronto.

Potatoes—47 to 50c per bag on track, Toronto.

Potatoes—47 to 50c per bag on track for Ontarios.

Poultry—Turkeys, dressed, 17 to 18c per lb; ducks, 13 to 15c; geese, 12 to 13c; chickens, 13 to 14c, and fowl, 10 to 11c.

#### THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter—Pound prints, 22 to 23c; tubs and large rolls, 20 to 21c; inferior, 18 to 20c; creamery, 27 to 28c, and solids, 24 to 25c per lb.

Eggs—Case lots of new laid, 30 to 31c per dozen, and storage, 25c per dozen.

Cheese—12½c per lb. for large, and at 13c for twins.

#### HOG PRODUCTS.

Bacon, long clear, 14¼ to 14½c per lb. in case lots; mess pork, \$27, short cut, \$28.50 to \$29.

Hams—Light to medium, 15 to 15½c; do., heavy, 14 to 14½c; rolls, 14 to 14½c; shoulders, 13 to 13½c; breakfast bacon, 17 to 17½c; backs, 18½ to 19½c.

Lard—Tierces, 15½c; tubs, 15½c; pails, 16c.

### THE FEDERAL LIFE.

Results of the Past Year Indicate Good Progress.

The annual report of the Federal Life Assurance Company of Canada contains very satisfactory indications of progress. The report, which is given in another place in this issue, shows new business consisting of 2,600 applications for insurance aggregating \$3,663,896.66, of which 2,501 applications for \$2,612,235 were accepted. As in previous years the income of the company shows a gratifying increase and the assets of the company have been increased by \$229,092.88 and have now reached \$3,613,949.53, exclusive of guarantee capital. The security for policyholders including guarantee capital amounted at the close of the year to \$4,513,349.53, and the liabilities for reserves and all outstanding claims, including \$20,000 set aside as a special addition to policy reserves, \$9,351,254, showing a surplus of \$1,162,695.53. Exclusive of uncalled guarantee capital, the surplus to policyholders was \$252,655.53. Death claims to the amount of \$200,403.07 were paid. Including cash, dividends and dividends applied to the reduction of premiums, with annuities the total payment to policyholders amounted to \$347,274.43. The assurances carried now amounted to \$21,019,322.31.

### RIOTS IN PHILADELPHIA.

Disorders Accompanies Strike of Street Car Men.

A despatch from Philadelphia, Pa., says: Rioting in every section of this city followed the attempt of the Philadelphia Transit Company to operate its lines here on Sunday. Passengers and crews were driven from the cars by infuriated mobs of strike sympathizers and in nearly a score of instances the abandoned cars were burned or otherwise destroyed. At nightfall every car was withdrawn from service. Stern measures were adopted by the police to quell the disorders and nearly 500 persons were arrested, charged with inciting to riot. Two women were shot by stray bullets, and many people were removed to hospitals.

### P. E. I. IS PROSPERING.

Department of Agriculture Reports Good Year.

A despatch from Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, says: The public accounts presented in the legislature on Friday show the annual ordinary expenditure to be \$265,000; capital, \$28,000; ordinary revenue, \$275,000; total liabilities, \$365,000. The biggest item of expenditure was \$129,000, for education. The department of agriculture reported the year as exceptionally successful, notwithstanding some unfavorable weather.

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### MISS MACPHERSON DEAD.

The Charge Against Robert Henderson Will be Murder.

A despatch from Peterboro' says: Miss Martha Macpherson, who, with her sister, was attacked in their little home in the township of Asphodel, three miles east of the village of Norwood, on January 27th, died on Sunday, and a charge of murder will likely be preferred against her alleged assailant, Robert Henderson, who is in jail here awaiting trial. The attack on the two women was made, it is alleged, by Henderson, who asked at the house for something to eat. He was told to cut some wood and went to the shed, but soon returned, and, it is claimed, used the axe on the two women. Miss Martha Macpherson since the alleged assault had been in a critical condition, and physicians were constantly in attendance. Robert Henderson, who is alleged to have been responsible for the woman's death, was committed for trial on the charge of wounding with intent to kill. Henderson was a resident of Toronto for a short time.

legislation on Friday show the annual ordinary expenditure to be \$265,000; capital, \$28,000; ordinary revenue, \$275,000; total liabilities, \$863,000. The biggest item of expenditure was \$120,000, for education. The department of agriculture reported the year as exceptionally prosperous from an agricultural standpoint. The value of the field crops was over \$9,000,000. The dairy industry increased 30 per cent. over 1905.

### ADMITS HE IS COOK.

Explorer First Refused to Recognize His Former Companion.

A despatch from Santiago, Chile, says: Dr. Frederick A. Cook on Friday admitted his identity. He visited his old comrade, the Belgian engineer Bysselbrouche, and the two were together for some hours. The two men were members of the Belgian Antarctic expedition of 1897-98, and the engineer recognized Cook when they were fellow-passengers on the steamer from Valdivia. Until now, however, Cook had refused to recognize his former companion.

A company has been formed at Niagara Falls to build a railway to Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Fourteen immigrants held at Halifax for deportation by the immigration officials were released on a writ of habeas corpus.

were rescued through a smashed window and landed down to help-ers. Mrs. Sciarroli jumped, and no one was injured. The fire itself did \$1,500 damage.

### WONT DAM NIAGARA.

Decision of Waterways Commission is Against the Proposal.

A despatch from Buffalo says: The Express says: The proposal to dam Niagara River to raise the water level of the great lakes is disapproved by the international waterways commission in its report submitted to the secretary of war at Washington, and the minister of public works at Ottawa. The project has been under consideration for about ten years.

### CANADA IN SECOND PLACE.

High Among Leading Countries in Increase of Trade.

A despatch from London says: According to the official return, Canada takes second place among the leading countries of the world in her percentage of increase in trade during the last decade.

### MEDAL FOR REYNOLDS?

Name of Conductor in Webbwood Wreck Sent to London.

A despatch from Ottawa says: In the Senate on Wednesday Sir Richard Cartwright said that the Secretary of State had forwarded to the Imperial authorities details of Conductor Reynold's rail car conduct at the Spanish River railway wreck. As to Mrs. Lambell, while her courage, coolness, and self-reliance on that occasion were recognized, it was doubtful if her case came within the scope of the regulations governing the distribution of the Edward or the Albert medals. However, that would be investigated.

### CAR PLUNGED DOWN BANK.

Narrow Escape of Two Passengers at London.

A despatch from London, Ont., says: Springbrook car No. 108 with two passengers, Frank Elson and William Hart, of Byron, Ont., was badly wrecked at 7:20 o'clock on Thursday morning, when it left the rails at a point about half a mile west of the Wharfedale road, and shot headforemost down an embankment into the river. No one was injured. The accident was caused by about half an inch of ice on the rails.

### INSPECTION OF CANNED FISH

Next Endeavor of Government to Ensure Pure Foods.

A despatch from Ottawa says: That an adequate system of government inspection of canned fish of all kinds, produced in Canada for export or inter-provincial trade, similar to that exercised over canned meats, will shortly be established under the control of the marine department, is the statement made by Hon. Sydney Fisher, minister of agriculture.

John Miller was sentenced at Niagara Falls to three years in penitentiary, on Thursday, for robbing a jewellery store.

Mr. J. C. Eaton has given \$250,000 to the new Toronto Hospital.

per lb. in case lots; mess pork, \$27.50; short cut, \$28.50 to \$29.

Hams—Light to medium, 15 to 15½¢; do., heavy, 14 to 14½¢; rolls, 14 to 14½¢; shoulders, 13 to 13½¢; breakfast bacon, 17 to 17½¢; backs, 18½ to 19½¢.

Lard—Treegs, 15½¢; tubs, 15½¢; pails, 16¢.

### BUSINESS IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Feb. 22.—Outs—No. 2 Canadian Western, 45½ to 46¢; No. 3 41½ to 42¢; Ontario No. 2 white, 32½ to 34¢; Ontario No. 3 white, 32½ to 34¢; Ontario No. 4 white, 31½ to 32½¢; Barley—No. 2, 59½ to 60¢; No. 3, 58½¢; No. 4, 56½¢; feed barley, 51½¢. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.50; do., seconds, \$5.50; Manitoba Spring wheat patents, seconds, \$5.50; Winter wheat patents, \$5.50 to \$5.70; Manitoba strong bakers, \$5.10; straight rollers, \$5.10 to \$5.25; straight rollers, in bags, \$2.10 to \$2.50. Feed—Ontario bran, \$22.50 to \$23; Ontario middlings, \$23.50 to \$24.00; Manitoba bran, \$22.00; Manitoba shorts, \$22.00; pure grain mouillie, \$31 to \$32; mixed mouillie, \$27 to \$29. Cheese—September and October make, 12 to 12½¢, and eastern at 11½ to 12¢. Butter—choicest creamery, 26 to 26½¢, and fresh receipts at 24½ to 25½¢. Eggs—Strictly new laid, 35¢ per dozen; selected cold storage stock, 28 to 30¢; No. 1 candled at 21 to 25¢ per dozen.

### UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Milwaukee, Feb. 22.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.18 to \$1.19; No. 2 Northern, \$1.17 to \$1.17½; May, \$1.14; Rye—No. 1, 81¢; Corn—May, 68½¢; Barley—Standard, 71½ to 72¢.

Chicago, Feb. 22.—Wheat—Cash, No. 2 red, \$1.21 to \$1.26; No. 3 red, \$1.18 to \$1.21; No. 2 hard, \$1.13½ to \$1.14½; No. 3 hard, \$1.12½ to \$1.13½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.16½ to \$1.17½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.14½ to \$1.15½; No. 3 Spring, \$1.12½ to \$1.14. Corn—No. 2, 65¢; No. 2 white, 66¢; No. 2 yellow, 66¢; No. 3, 63½ to 64½¢; No. 3 white, 61 to 61½¢; No. 3 yellow, 63½ to 64½¢; No. 4, 59½ to 60½¢; No. 4 white, 60½ to 61½¢; No. 4 yellow, 60½ to 62¢. Oats—No. 2, 49¢; No. 2 white, 49½ to 50¢; No. 3 white, 48 to 49½¢; No. 4 white, 47 to 48¢; standard, 49 to 49½¢.

### LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Montreal, Feb. 22.—Prime beefs 6 to over 6½¢ per pound; pretty good animals, 4½ to 5½¢, and the common stock 3½ to 4½¢ per lb. Milch cows from \$80 to \$60 each; springers, \$30 to \$50 each. Calves, 1½ to 8¢ per lb. Sheep, about 5¢, and lambs about 7¢ per lb. Good lots of fat hogs sold at 9½ to 9½¢ per lb.

Toronto, Feb. 22.—Everything was bought up for local killing. A few picked, well finished steers and heifers sold up to \$6.25. Straight loads of good butchers sold at \$5.60 to \$5.90; medium at \$5 to \$5.50; bulls were strong at \$4.50 to \$5.30, and butchers' cows at \$4.35 to \$5. Manitoba feeders realized up to \$4.65. Sheep and lambs were firm at recent advances. Hogs—Selects, 88.25, f.o.b., and \$8.50 fed and watered.

The Canadian bank statement for January shows savings deposits at over \$508,000,000 and total deposits in Canada of \$746,631,000.

## WOOD ALCOHOL'S VICTIMS

### Father and His Two Sons--Tragedy Near Castor, Alberta.

A despatch from Stettler, Alberta, says: Wood alcohol has been the cause of a tragedy near Castor in which two lives have been lost and a third is in grave danger. The victims were a father and two sons, named Sleen, who are homesteaded sixteen miles from Castor. They had been in the village last Saturday and purchased a quantity of wood alcohol from a chemist named Couch. After getting back to their

carbin they drank it and the elder son went to sleep, never to wake. The father afterwards died in great pain, but not before he managed to despatch the other boy, who was also suffering from the effects of the drug, for a doctor. The doctor retained him at the village, where he is now recovering, but the old man was dead when assistance reached his home. The police are investigating.

## MILLION DOLLARS A MONTH

### Increase in the Customs Revenue During Last Fiscal Year.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Canada's trade for January totalled \$51,509,102, an increase of \$12,322,627, or nearly thirty per cent. over the corresponding month of last year, and constituting a record for the month. For the first ten months of the present fiscal year the total trade has been \$563,986,780, an increase of \$95,610,931, or about twenty per cent. The imports last month totalled \$30,253,852, an increase of \$7,140,225 over January 1909. Exports of domestic products totalled \$20,255,406, an increase of \$4,871,034. For the ten months im-

ports have totalled \$202,050,267, an increase of \$60,987,445. Exports of domestic products for the ten months totalled \$211,375,219, an increase of \$31,404,708. Of this increase, about \$16,000,000 was in exports of agricultural products, and seven and a half millions in exports of the forest. Exports of manufactures show an increase of nearly two millions. The customs revenue for the month was \$1,603,402, an increase of \$944,037. For ten months the customs revenue has been \$18,692,459, an increase of \$10,361,341, or a little over a million a month.

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## THE RABIES EPIDEMIC.

Local Districts Call on Provincial Board of Health for Assistance.

A despatch from Toronto says: The epidemic of rabies is assuming serious proportions, according to reports to the Provincial Health Department on Thursday, which will be transmitted to the Federal department. Isaac Tetro, a farmer in West Elgin, had a fine bull and two horses bitten by a dog running wild the other day. On Wednesday the bull developed hydrophobia, and had to be destroyed. The two horses are now under treatment, and it is feared that they, too, will have to be shot. The Township Council of Stephen, in the county of Huron, held a special session on Thursday to devise means for coping with the alarming conditions in their locality. Several mad dogs have been killed and others got away. Many cattle have been bitten.

## EGYPT'S PREMIER SHOT.

Seriously Wounded by a Student at Cairo.

A despatch from Cairo, Egypt, says: Boutros Pacha Ghali, the Egyptian Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs, was shot and seriously wounded on Sunday by a student, who was arrested. The student fired five shots, three of the bullets lodging in the Premier's body. Two of them, however, inflicted only superficial wounds. The bullets were extracted, and it is practically certain that the Premier will recover. The crime was entirely of a political nature, the would-be assassin being a Nationalist. He declared that his motive was a desire to avenge various acts of the Government, which the Nationalists attribute personally to Boutros Pacha.

## COPPER REFINING.

New Process for Lower Grade Ore Invented at McGill.

A despatch from Montreal says: Members of the chemical staff of McGill and a New York chemist have been at work on the reduction of copper ore, and have succeeded in finding a new method of treating lower-grade ore. Up to the present no ore was profitable under four per cent. By the new process three per cent. ore will be profitable.

The tests were undertaken at the instance of a number of New York capitalists who have large holdings of copper which were of too low a grade to pay. Now they expect to start work on them immediately. It means a good deal to Canada, and there are many of the mines in Canada which could not be made to pay which will now pay handsomely.

## NEARLY 9000 MILES RAILWAY.

Ontario Added to Her Railway Trackage by 260.23 Miles.

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## CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS

### HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE.

Telegraphic Briefs From Our Own and Other Countries of Recent Events.

#### CANADA.

The New Brunswick Legislature was opened on Thursday.

Fifty additional men are wanted for the Toronto police force.

Michigan Central engineers have been given an increase in pay.

A company has been formed at Montreal to construct a boulevard ten miles long to Bout de L'ile.

Jesse Cole, aged fifteen years, was run over by a train near Hagersville and killed on Saturday.

Mr. W. J. Birks, a prominent musician and choir leader at London, Ont., died suddenly on Saturday.

A man was seen to deliberately shoot at a T. & N. O. Railway boarding car at Cobalt, on Friday.

Premier Whitney says the Government would take drastic steps to stop reckless driving of automobiles.

Mrs. H. St. George Baldwin fell on the sidewalk, at Toronto, bursting a blood vessel and dying shortly afterwards.

Fred. H. Carroll of Carroll, Man., was on Saturday called to his door and shot by Lottie McCulloch, a domestic, formerly employed by his father. The young man is dangerously wounded.

One of the first persons to attempt to get mail out of the Winnipeg postoffice since the new Sunday closing rule went into effect was a local minister who had forgotten to call for his Sunday school literature on Saturday.

#### GREAT BRITAIN.

The London Daily Chronicle calls the Germano-Canadian agreement a sensible arrangement.

An Italian ship with twenty sailors aboard went down off the Irish coast, on Saturday.

Deputy Sheriffs fired on a mob of would-be lynchers at Cairo, Ill., on Friday, killing one and wounding three.

The Chairman of the British Labor party has intimated that the Government need expect no Labor support unless the veto question is pressed to an issue without delay.

#### UNITED STATES.

Five men were killed in an explosion in a gunpowder plant in California.

A ten-year-old boy was attacked by two great eagles while on his way home from school at Laporte, Pa.

Bill Haney, a bandit, wanted in British Columbia for murder and train robbery, has been located at California.

Seven Italian counterfeiters were sentenced to prison terms ranging from fifteen to thirty years at New York, on Saturday.

#### GENERAL.

Soldiers with fixed bayonets attacked rioters in the Prussian town of Neumunster.

The new Spanish Premier has declined to resign in spite of the pro-

# INCREASED COST OF LIVING

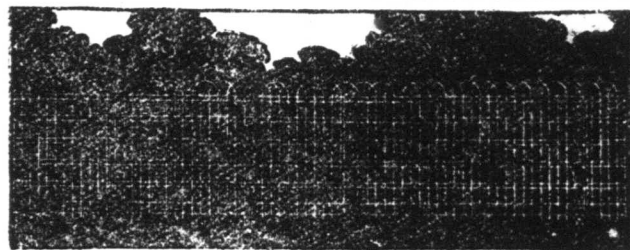
## Results of Special Investigations Carried Out by the Government.

A despatch from Ottawa says: With the current issue of The Labor Gazette the department begins the publication of the results of the special investigation, which has been in progress for some months, into the increase during the past few years in the cost of living. In subsequent issues there will be given statistical reviews of the trend of wholesale and retail prices during the past twenty years in Canada, with comparisons as to the trend of prices in other countries. The investigation will cover some 225 commodities in general use. This month a statistical statement is given as to the wholesale prices of animals and meats from 1890 to 1909. Averaging the prices for all

meats, the statement shows that during the year 1909 wholesale prices were approximately 45 per cent. higher than during the ten-year period from 1890 to 1899, and that, compared with 1906, they were fully 77 per cent. higher. The issue also contains a table showing the prices of thirty-four commodities which enter into cost of living at the more important centres of population throughout Canada. It is the intention of the department to publish quotations for a similar list of commodities from month to month in The Labor Gazette, thus making it possible to ascertain by comparison the changes in retail prices and the cost of living in the various parts of the Dominion from time to time.

streets, singing and cheering for a secret ballot. A conflict with the police immediately ensued. The police used their sabres and revolvers, charging several times, and the demonstrators replied with volleys of stones and bags of pepper. Four civilians seriously

wounded were taken to the hospital, with one policeman, who had been stabbed through the lungs. These, however, constitute only a small proportion of those injured. Fighting continued at midnight in various quarters of the city.



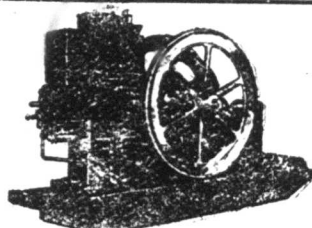
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#### SIX COSTLY MICE.

Shipped From London to a Boston Professor.

A despatch from Boston says: Huddled up asleep in a small wooden box and appearing not unlike the white mice so common in this country, six little orange-colored rodents, valued at \$1,666.66 each, made up the most interesting consignment aboard the steamer Anglian, which arrived here from London on Wednesday. The animals are for a college professor in this city, who is to use them in experiments. The \$10,000 mice are a species of dormouse, or sleeping mouse, that live out of doors in the summer and remain torpid during most of the winter season. Their high value is caused by their great scarcity of numbers. They are about the size and build of a squirrel.

#### DRY-DOCK FOR MONTREAL.

Vickers-Maxim Company Will Invest Some Millions.

A despatch from Montreal says: A floating dry-dock for Montreal, capable of accommodating vessels of 20,000 tons, is the latest port equipment. It is understood that a considerable part of the capital for the dry-dock will be provided by the Vickers, Maxim and Vickers Company, one of the largest shipbuilding concerns in Great Britain, who will invest probably \$5,000,000 in the proposition, and will operate the dry-dock and the accompanying shipyard. The British firm do not confine their activities to shipbuilding, and it is expected that they will operate the Montreal plant during the Winter months when navigation is at a standstill, for the output of railway supplies of various kinds.

#### MONTREAL'S SALARY LIST.

Civic Departments Overmanned, and Pay is on Generous Scale.

A despatch from Montreal says: Figures compiled at the City Hall go to show that Montreal has a salary list which yearly absorbs one million dollars, or one-sixth of her revenue. The last Council was very generous with salary increases, and also greatly over-manned the various departments. With a million dollars paid out in salaries and \$1,400,000 in interest charges it is little wonder that Montreal's finances were in a bad way. Mr. J. Guerin, brother of the Mayor, has been asked to fill temporarily the duties of Secretary to the Board of Control.

sentenced to prison terms ranging from fifteen to thirty years at New York, on Saturday.

#### GENERAL.

Soldiers with fixed bayonets attacked rioters in the Prussian town of Neumuenster.

The new Spanish Premier has declined to resign in spite of the protests of certain members of his party.

The discovery of a plot in favor of ex-President Castro has caused some excitement in Venezuela.

A fierce battle was fought in Nicaragua in which Gen. Vasquez, leader of the Government forces, was defeated.

#### ELEPHANTS RUN AMUCK.

Tossed Barrels About in a Winery, but Were Finally Cornered.

A despatch from San Francisco says: Three elephants owned by a showman broke away from a street parade on Thursday afternoon, and for 30 blocks ran amuck. With crowds scattering in pursuit, the elephants took to the sidewalks, and many persons had narrow escapes from being trampled on. Swerving into a butcher shop, the big beasts paused long enough to half wreck the place, then headed for a winery, where they tossed barrels and kegs about. They were finally cornered in a viaduct lot.

#### EIGHT-HOUR DAY BILL.

Mr. Dubreuil Says West is Making More Progress Than East.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Before the Common's Committee on Mr. Verville's bill in respect to an eight-hour day on public works, Mr. Victor Dubreuil, Fair Wage Officer of the Labor Department, gave evidence on Wednesday morning as to the conditions with respect to hours of employment in various parts of the country. He said that the tendency toward a reduction in the hours of labor was much more noticeable in the west than in the east. In Alberta and British Columbia several branches of the building trades were already working on an eight-hour basis. The committee decided to hear further evidence along this line at its next meeting.

#### BALLOT RIOTS SERIOUS.

Many Persons Wounded in German Disturbances.

A despatch from Frankfort-on-the-Main, Germany, says: Severe street fighting occurred late on Thursday night between the police and suffrage demonstrators, and a large number were wounded on both sides. The Socialists had organized five mass meetings, which passed off in good order, but crowds gathered later in the principal

# The Federal Life Assurance Co. Of Canada

The Twenty-eighth Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Federal Life Assurance Company of Canada was held at the Company's Head Office, in Hamilton, on Tuesday, 15th February, 1910, at 2 p.m., Mr. David Dexter in the chair, Mr. W. H. Davis, Acting Secretary.

The Annual Report, as follows, was read and adopted, on motion of the President, Mr. Dexter, seconded by the Vice-President, Lieut.-Col. Kerna: Your Directors have the honor to present the Report and Financial Statement of the Company for the year which closed 31st December, 1909, duly vouchered for by the Auditors.

The new business of the year consisted of two thousand six hundred applications for insurance aggregating \$3,663,866.66, of which two thousand five hundred and one applications for \$3,504,235.00 were accepted.

As in previous years, the income of the Company shows a gratifying increase, and the assets of the Company have been increased by \$528,092.88, and have now reached \$3,613,949.53, exclusive of guarantee capital.

The Security for Policyholders, including guarantee capital, amounted at the close of the year to \$4,513,949.53, and the liabilities for reserves and all outstanding claims, including \$20,000 set aside as a special addition to policy reserves, \$3,551,254.00, showing a surplus of \$1,162,695.53. Exclusive of unclaimed guarantee capital, the surplus to Policyholders was \$232,695.53.

Policyholders one hundred and fifteen lives became claimants through death, to the amount of \$200,866.67.

Including cash dividends and dividends applied to the reduction of premiums, with annuities, the total payment to Policyholders amounted to \$347,274.43.

Careful attention has been given to the investment of the Company's funds. In first-class bonds, mortgage securities, and loans on the Company's policies amply secured by reserves. Our investments have yielded a very satisfactory rate of interest.

Expenses have been confined to a reasonable limit, consistent with developments for new business. The results of the year indicate a most gratifying progress. Compared with the preceding year, the figures submitted by the Directors for your approval show an advance of nearly ten per cent. in assets.

The assurances carried by the Company now amount to \$21,049,322.31, upon which the Company holds reserves to the full amount required by law, and, in addition, thereby a considerable surplus.

You are to be congratulated on the fact that the surplus over Capital and all liabilities increased \$2,424.88 during the past year, from which a special addition of \$20,000 was made to policy reserves.

The field officers and agents of the Company are intelligent and loyal, and are entitled to much credit for their able representation of the Company's interests. The members of the office staff have also proved faithful to the Company's service.

Your Directors are pleased to be able to state that the business of the Company for the current year has been of a most satisfactory character, and that the outlook for the future is most encouraging.

DAVID DEXTER,  
President and Managing Director.

#### AUDITORS' REPORT

To the President and Directors of the Federal Life Assurance Company:

Gentlemen—We have carefully audited the books and records of your Company for the year ending 31st December last, and have certified to their accuracy. The Cash and Journal Vouchers have been closely examined and agree with the entries recorded.

The Debentures, Bonds, etc., in the possession of the Company have been inspected, whilst those deposited with the Government have been verified by certificate, the total agreeing with the amount as shown in the Statement of Assets.

The accompanying Statement, viz. Revenue and Expenditure, Assets and Liabilities, shows the result of the year's operations and also the financial position of the Company.

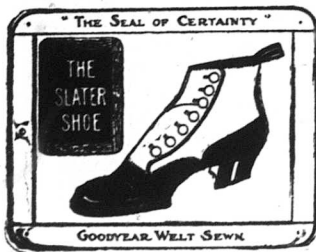
Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES STIFF, C.A. }  
C. S. SCOTT, F.C.A. } Auditors.

Hamilton, 1st February, 1910.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1909.

RECEIPTS.	
Premium and Annuity Income	\$718,927.86
Interest, Rents and Profits	174,074.82
	\$893,002.68
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Paid to Policyholders	\$247,274.43
All other payments	233,249.04
Balance	312,479.21
	\$893,002.68
ASSETS, DECEMBER 31ST, 1909.	
Debentures and Bonds	\$1,443,973.55
Mortgages	808,092.77
Loans, Policies, Bonds, Stocks, etc.	636,865.91
All other Assets	725,014.50
	\$3,613,949.53
LIABILITIES.	
Reserve Fund	\$3,256,310.00
Special Addition to Policy Reserves	20,000.00
Death Losses awaiting Proofs	65,050.00
Other Liabilities	11,714.00
Surplus on Policyholders' Account	232,695.53
	\$3,613,949.53
Assets	\$3,613,949.53
Guarantee Capital	\$79,000.00
Total Security	\$4,513,949.53
Policies were Issued Assuring	\$3,504,235.00
Total Insurance in Force	21,049,322.31
All the retiring Directors were re-elected, as follows: M. H. Atkins, M.D., David Dexter, Hon. Geo. E. Foster, Hon. J. M. Gibson, T. C. Haslett, K.C., Lieut.-Col. Wm. Kerna, John G. Scott, A. E. Russ, M.A., John Wakefield, D.D., and A. Woolverton, M.D.	
At a subsequent meeting of the Directors the following officers were re-elected: David Dexter, President and Managing Director; Lieut.-Col. William Kerna and T. C. Haslett, K.C., Vice-Presidents; Dr. A. Woolverton, Medical Director.	

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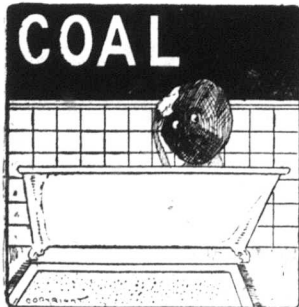
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Thos. Wells, a well known resident of Richmond township, died very suddenly on Sunday. Deceased lived alone on his farm on the Newburgh road. He was about seventy years of age and leaves a sister, Mrs. E. J. Madden, Strathcona, and several brothers.

Friday evening last a fast and clean game of hockey was played at Diamond's rink between a team from Picton and the N. C. I. hockey team. The N. C. I. boys won by a score of 5-3. The visitors played a fast, clean game, but were simply outclassed, the boys from the N. C. I. being able to skate rings around them and the Picton goal tender was kept on his mettle all the

On page one of this issue will be found an item in reference to the operation of the fire alarm boxes. Cut it out and stick it up where it will be seen often, then if necessary you will understand how to operate them.

At the last session of the town council the clerk was authorized to draft a resolution and present it to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa asking that the town clock on the post office be illuminated. This is a decidedly good move and there is no reason why the request should not be granted, particularly as nearly all the towns and cities along the line are enjoying the conveniences of an illuminated time piece.

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## Parish of Selby.

Services for Sunday, Feb 27th—Third Sunday in Lent, 8.30 a. m. St. John's, Selby, Celebration of the Holy Communion, Rev. Rural Dean Dibb, Celebrant; 10.30 a. m. S. Jude's, Strathcona. Matins, Litany, and Sermon; 3.00 p. m. S. Jude's, Kingsford, Evening Prayer, and Sermon.

## Historical Meeting.

The next meeting of the Lennox and Addington Historical Society will be held on Friday evening, March 18th, in Historical Hall. Prof. J. L. Morrison of Queen's University will deliver a lecture on "Ireland and the Irish Question." The lecture is open for the public, — Entrance free and every one welcome.

## Died in the Snow.

William Gilchrist a well known former resident of Morven, was found on Wednesday morning frozen to death on the porch of the school house near Morven. He was around town in the afternoon and had been imbibing pretty freely and about seven o'clock started to walk to his brother's home at Morven. Deceased was sixty-seven years of age, a carpenter by trade, and spent the summer in Watertown, returning here last fall to spend the winter. The remains were taken to Messrs. Hamblly & Ming's undertaking rooms to be prepared for burial.

A. S. Kimmery is selling 20 granulated or 22 lbs. sugar \$1; 0 lbs. best rolled oats, 25c; good flour \$2.00 per 100; 7 bars Comfort soap, 25c; 22 nutmeg 5c; 50 clothes pins 5c; granulated sugar \$4 75 per 100; Pierce's Favorite perscription 85c a bottle; Fruitatives 30c.

## Two Houses Destroyed.

On Wednesday morning fire was discovered in one of the Cartwright houses in South Napanee near the G. T. R. tracks. The fire originated in the house occupied by Mr. Wilson on one side the furniture of Mr. Amos Smith being stored in the other half. The flames then spread to the adjoining house occupied by Messrs. King, and Loney. As both houses were of frame construction the fire quickly gained control and after a short hot blaze both houses were burned to the ground. None of the tenants were able to save much of their household goods and as none had any insurance the loss is a heavy one for them. The





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road. He was about seventy years of  
age and leaves a sister, Mrs. E. J.  
Madden, Strathcona, and several  
brothers.

Friday evening last a fast and clean  
game of hockey was played at Dia-  
mond's rink between a team from Pic-  
ton and the N. C. I. hockey team. The  
N. C. I. boys won by a score of 5-3.  
The visitors played a fast, clean game,  
but were simply outclassed, the boys  
from the N. C. I. being able to skate  
rings around them and the Picton goal  
tender was kept on his mettle all the  
time trying to stop the numerous  
shots.

## Don't forget the Anniver- sary Services in Trinity Church, Sunday, March 6, and Concert Monday, Mar. 7th.

Mrs. B. C. Lloyd, mother of Mrs. A.  
W. Caton, died on Monday at the  
home of her daughter, aged seventy-  
four years. For the past three weeks  
she has been lingering between life  
and death, and though she had the  
best medical advice and most careful  
nursing her spirit took its flight.  
Deceased was beloved by her many  
friends for her gentleness of character  
and amiable disposition and will be  
missed by friends and neighbors.  
Mrs. Caton is her only child. The  
funeral took place on Wednesday  
from the residence of Mr. and Mrs.  
Caton to Newburgh vault.

John Allen, J. P., Marlbank, passed  
away on Saturday. The deceased was  
in his seventy-eighth year and was a  
son of the late Dr. James Allan. He  
was the eldest of eight sons, and one  
of a family of thirteen children. Two  
brothers, A. D. Allan, Marlbank, and  
R. B. Allen, Napanee, and three sisters,  
Mrs. J. Sanderson, Carman, Mrs. Rev.  
Sanderson, Madoc, and Mrs. Nelson  
Burley, Roslin, survive. Two children  
also survive, Mrs. Dr. Mathers, of  
Tweed, and Nelson Allan, Carman,  
Man., who is at present on a visit to  
his parents. Deceased was reeve of  
Hungerford township for several  
years, a prominent temperance worker,  
a member of the Methodist church.  
He lived all his long and useful life in  
Marlbank and was widely known and  
very highly respected. His sorrowing  
widow and children have the sym-  
pathy of a large circle of friends in  
their hour of trouble. The funeral  
took place on Monday.

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breakfast will make you feel better.  
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Nineteen counties in the Province  
have adopted the Good Roads system  
and planned the improvement of three  
thousand miles of their leading high-  
ways. The Good Roads Association  
of Ontario consider the time favorable  
for a general advance in the construc-  
tion of good roads throughout the whole  
Province. With this in view they are  
arranging for a widely representative  
convention to be held in Toronto on  
March 2nd, 3rd, and 4th. Efforts are  
being made to secure the attendance  
of members not only of County Coun-  
cils but from the township bodies, and  
all other associations that are interest-  
ed in improving the roads of the coun-  
try, such as the Farmers' Institute,  
Agricultural Societies, Fair Associat-  
ions, the various live stock associations,  
fruit growers, and others. The move-  
ment is spreading also to the towns  
and cities. The programme will pro-  
vide for a valuable series of addresses  
from superintendents of county road  
systems already in operation, explain-  
ing the method of designating roads,  
the machinery and material used, the  
cost, and how the money is raised.  
Experts, in addition, are being secured  
from New York, Pennsylvania, Mas-  
sachusetts, and other states where  
the finest roads in America have been  
built up. After a thorough discussion,  
it is proposed to decide upon some pol-  
icy that will include the most valuable  
points of all these systems. During  
the convention a huge deputation will  
wait upon the Provincial government  
to consult with it as to future assis-  
tance. As over five hundred delegates  
are expected to attend, single fare rates  
will probably be secured. Communi-  
cations should be sent to the Secretary  
of the Ontario Good Roads Associat-  
ion, at Whitby.

T.R. tracks. The fire originated in  
the house occupied by Mr. Wilson  
on one side the furniture of Mr. Amos  
Smith being stored in the other half.  
The flames then spread to the adjoining  
house occupied by Messrs. King,  
and Loney. As both houses were of  
frame construction the fire quickly  
gained control and after a short hot  
blaze both houses were burned to the  
ground. None of the tenants were  
able to save much of their household  
goods and as none had any insurance  
the loss is a heavy one for them. The  
firemen were early on the scene and  
laid a line of hose from the Gibbard  
factory across the ice and up the hill  
and were able to save the houses on  
the opposite side of the road from destruc-  
tion.

Kodaks and supplies at Wallace's  
Drug Store, Napanee. Mail orders re-  
ceive prompt attention.

## Obituary.

Irvine Parks, county treasurer of  
Lennox and Addington, passed away  
early Sunday morning after a few  
weeks' illness of heart trouble. A week  
previous to his demise he had a slight  
stroke but rallied the next day and  
was apparently improving. Mr. Parks  
was well known and respected through-  
out the county, a staunch reformer  
and a prominent member and treasur-  
er of the Western Methodist church.  
Deceased had been county treasurer  
for about fifteen years and his knowl-  
edge of county affairs rendered his  
services particularly valuable to the  
county. Before accepting the office of  
treasurer he was a prosperous farmer  
in North Fredericksburgh. His wife  
pre-deceased him about one year ago.  
One step-daughter, Mrs. Ezra Huff-  
man, Hay Bay, is the only surviving  
relative. The funeral took place on  
Tuesday from his late residence. Ser-  
vices were conducted in the Western  
Church by Rev. W. H. Emsley and the  
remains placed in the Eastern ceme-  
tery vault. Nearly all the members of  
the county council and officials were  
present to attend the funeral. The  
flag on the court house was flying at  
half mast out of respect to the de-  
ceased official.

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### The Napanee Ladies' Musical Club.

The next regular meeting of the Napanee Ladies' Musical Club will be held in the Town Hall, this (Friday) afternoon at four o'clock. The programme is being arranged by Mrs. Hawley and Miss Helen Grange. Non residents 25c.

### Card of Thanks.

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**Church of St. Mary Magdalene.**  
Sunday, Feb. 27th—Services 10.30 a.

## TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, February 27th.  
The Pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening.  
Mrs. Burritt will render a solo at the evening service.

### ANNIVERSARY OF TRINITY CHURCH.

March 6th and 7th.  
SUNDAY, MARCH 6th—Rev. J. P. Wilson, B. A., of Lindsay, will preach Anniversary Sermons.

Special music will be furnished by the choir under the leadership of Mrs. Burritt.

MONDAY EVENING MARCH 7th—A Grand Sacred Concert will be given in the main body of the church. Mr. H. Ruthven McDonald, the celebrated Baritone Soloist, of Toronto, has been engaged. He will be assisted by Mrs. Burritt and a chorus of choir voices.

Trinity Church is famous for its excellent programmes, and our readers can rest assured that in this concert a rare treat is in store for them. Further particulars in next week's issue.

## PERSONALS

Frutivates—always fresh at Jessop's Pharmacy.

Mr. J. T. Soby has purchased the Henry block on Dundas street from Mr. W. Marshall, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daly arrived home on Monday from Toronto where Mrs. Daly has been spending several weeks.

Rev. Perry Scott occupied the pulpit in the Western church on Sunday.

Evangelist Richard Irving and Mr. E. R. McBride, of Belleville, were down attending the funeral of Mrs. Joshua Anderson on Sunday last and while here were the guests of Mr. C. W. Bowen and family Dundas street.

Mr. W. S. Herrington, K. C. attended court in Deseronto on Wednesday.

The members of the County Council and County Clerk Wilson were in Toronto this week interviewing the Government in reference to the county poor house affairs.

Mrs. James Young was visiting friends in Colebrook last Sunday.

Mr. Travers, sr. and son, Mr. Gordon Travers, Toronto, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Travers.

Mr. C. M. Warner was in Boston and Providence this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wright, of Violet, spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vanluven and family.

Mr. E. R. McBride, Belleville, was in town on Sunday attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. M. Caton, of Cherry Valley, were in Napanee Monday and Tuesday and left for Switzerland and Violet.

Mr. Clark Walker, of Wilton, Reeve of Ernestown, was in Napanee Tuesday.

Mrs. Jos. Lowry and son, Ayrest, leave on Saturday for their home in Saskatoon, Sask.

Mrs. J. S. Ham, Dundas st., entertained a number of ladies on Saturday afternoon, (bridge)

Rev. W. H. Emsley occupied the pulpit of the Stirling Methodist church on Sunday last.

Rev. Mr. Pearson, Peterborough, and Rev. G. W. McColl exchanged pulpits on Sunday last.

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### Napanee-Rink, Limited.

A meeting of the stock Holders of the Napanee-Rink, Limited, will be held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday evening, March 2nd, at 8 p.m. All stock holders should endeavour to be present at this meeting as important business in regard to the completion of the organization will be up for consideration. It is desired that every one interested in the building of our rink should be at this meeting.

CLARENCE M. WARNER,  
Provisional Secretary.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Only 3 dozen 75c. Lanterns left to be sold at 49c. None sold after March 1st. 11 dozen sold in one day at

BOYLE & SON'S.

One of the first persons to attempt to get mail out of the Winnipeg post office since the new Sunday closing rule went into effect was a local minister who had forgotten to call for his Sunday school literature on Saturday.

In January 6,638 immigrants entered Canada, as compared with 4,097 in January, 1909. During the ten months ending January 31st, 1910, the total immigration was 165,567 compared with 125,653 during the same period of the preceding fiscal year.

G. H. Davy, wireless operator on the government steamer Quadra at British Columbia is suffering from ptomaine poisoning contracted through eating canned peaches. He is now out of all danger. Harry is one of the best known operators on the coast and is a former Napaneean.

A despatch from Mexico says Mr. Geo. I. Ham, who was president of the United States Banking Company, which went into the hands of a receiver several weeks ago has been arrested on a charge of breach of trust. It is charged that mining stocks given as security for loans is missing.

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The Peterboro Board of Trade has undertaken to raise \$2,000 by subscription to maintain a commissioner of industry of the city. If the board raises \$2,000, the city council will make a grant of \$2,000. Peterboro intends making a big effort to secure factories this year. The rate of taxation this year is 22 mills, last year it was 19 1/2.

The executive committee of Belleville city council has recommended that the council amend the by-law governing dogs so as to compel all dogs in the city to be muzzled, and the muzzles to be of metal. Although there is no rabies or any symptoms in the city or vicinity, the step is being taken as a precaution to prevent same.

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### "The Man of Destiny."

A very interesting pen picture of Napoleon is drawn by John Cam Hobhouse, afterward Lord Brougham, in his "Recollections of a Long Life." He writes:

"I had for some time a most complete opportunity of contemplating this extraordinary being. His face is of a deadly pale, his jaws overhanging, but not so much as I had heard. His hair is short, of a dark-dusky brown. He generally stood with his hands knitted behind him or folded before him and three or four times took snuff out of a plain brown box. Once he looked at his watch, which, by the way, had a gold face and, I think, a brown hair chain, like an English one. His teeth seemed regular, but not clean. He very seldom spoke, but when he did smiled in some sort agreeably. He looked about him, not knitting but joining his eyebrows. As the front of each regiment passed he put up the first finger of his left hand quickly to his head to salute, but did not move his head to hat. He had an air of sedate impatience."

### A Circular Rainbow.

A member of a party who made an ascent of Finsterterhorn some years ago thus described a novel sight which delighted the tired climbers: The day we mounted the Finsterterhorn we were treated to the rare sight of a circular rainbow, the phenomenon lasting nearly half an hour and forming a complete circle. There were heavy clouds lying some 4,000 feet below on the Aar glacier, and it was on these that the beautiful, brilliantly colored ring lay. A second circle was also visible. We were near the summit of the peak when the first of the party observed it, and from that point the face of the mountain on the Grimsel side is almost perpendicular, giving us a splendid view.



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Lenten services every day at 8.30, 8.45 and 5 o'clock. Also on Thursday evenings at 7.30 with addresses by neighbouring Clergymen. Next Thursday, March 3rd, Rev. R. W. Spencer will give the address.

**David Holcomb.**  
The Philadelphia Item, under date of November 2nd, quotes: "William Lawrence shines in his latest rural play 'David Holcomb,' which had its first Philadelphia appearance at the Grand Opera House last night. The play is about all that could be desired in the realm of rural drama and the plot is different from many plays of its type. The scenery was natural and the entire caste in capable hands. Noteworthy features were the 'Harvest Quartette,' and the village choir, while the organ recital as rendered by Phoebe, one of the villagers, was a knockout. Mr. Lawrence shows to better advantage as 'Uncle Dave,' in his present play than he did for years as 'Uncle Josh' in 'The Old Homestead.' Those who like a good, clean rural play should not overlook Lawrence at the Grand this week. Mr. Lawrence and his excellent company will appear at the Brisco opera house on Monday, February 28th."

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**IN MEMORIAM.**  
Early on Thursday morning of Feb. 17th death entered the home of Mr. Joshua Anderson taking away his beloved wife, who passed peacefully away to be with Christ. Her maiden name being Annie Marie Buskard, was born in Suffolk, England, and married Mr. Arthur Rush, coming to Canada 38 years ago and after his death was married to Anderson, residing in town up till the time of her death. The deceased was taken ill about twelve weeks ago and all that medical skill could do was of no avail, the Great physician had said come up higher and her spirit took its flight to be with the one whom she loved. She was patient in suffering and strong in the Faith of her Lord Jesus Christ. Those left to mourn the loss of a devoted wife and loving and affectionate mother, beside the aged husband, are the daughters, Mrs. Edward Baird, North Fredericksburgh, Mrs. Wm. Hudson, Deseronto, Mrs. Nellie, Laura and Maud at home, also one brother and sister, Miss Buskard, of Napanee, and Mr. Arthur Buskard, of West Huntingdon, Ont. The funeral service, which was very largely attended on Sunday afternoon, was conducted by Mr. E. R. McBride, of Belleville, and Evangelist Richard Irvine, taking for his text Matthew 24—44 Therefore Be ye also ready.  
When the weary ones we love,  
Enter on their rest above;  
When their words of love and cheer  
Fall no longer on our ear,  
Hush, be every murmur dumb  
It is only till he come.

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Miss Vera Shorey returned to Watertown N. Y. last week.  
Mr. Geo. A. Harrison, who is at his daughter's, Mrs. F. B. Allison, is still very ill.  
Mrs. Thos. Naylor, Deseronto, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coates.  
Mr. A. T. Harshaw and Mr. G. A. Cliff were in Kingston on Wednesday.  
Mr. Clayton Johnson, of Harwood, despatcher on the G. T. R. was visiting his cousin Miss Clara Bowen this week.

**BIRTHS.**  
FERGUSON—At Napanee, on Wednesday, Feb. 22nd, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Ferguson, a daughter.  
VANDUSEN—At Napanee, on Sunday February 20th, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. William Vandusen, jr., a son.

**DEATHS**  
ALLEN—At Marlbank, on Saturday, February 19th, 1910, John Allen, in his seventy-eighth year.  
GILCHRIST—At Morven, on Tuesday, Feb. 22nd, 1910, William Gilchrist, aged 67 years.  
LOYD—At Napanee, on Monday, Feb. 21st, 1910, Ammarilla Spencer, relict of the late B. C. Lloyd, aged 74 years.  
PARKS—At Napanee, on Sunday, February 20th, 1910, Irvine Parks, aged seventy-two years and three months.  
WELLS—At Camden, on Sunday, Feb. 20th, 1910, Thos. Wells, aged 74 years.  
WOODCOCK—At North Fredericksburgh, on Feb. 19th, 1910, Diana Woodcock, aged 80 years.

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